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Martha Hammock



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Foreword

As you leave Blackstone High School, you will take with you many memories. Some will be slight and fleeting; others will be so much a part of you that they will continue to influence your lives. Like pieces of a jigsaw puzzle, each memory will fall into place to form a whole--your picture of your school. Many things will make up the pattern; teachers and studies, classmates and clubs, sports and gala events. The color will be as bright as the memories of these years together.

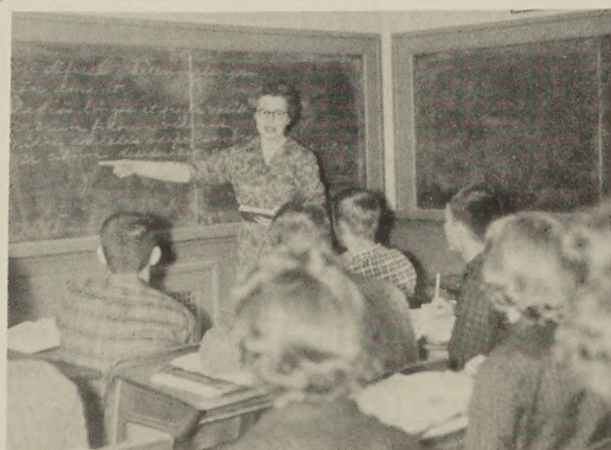
We hope that this volume of The Ivy will recall each memory and you may find yourself and your youth in this picture of Blackstone High School.



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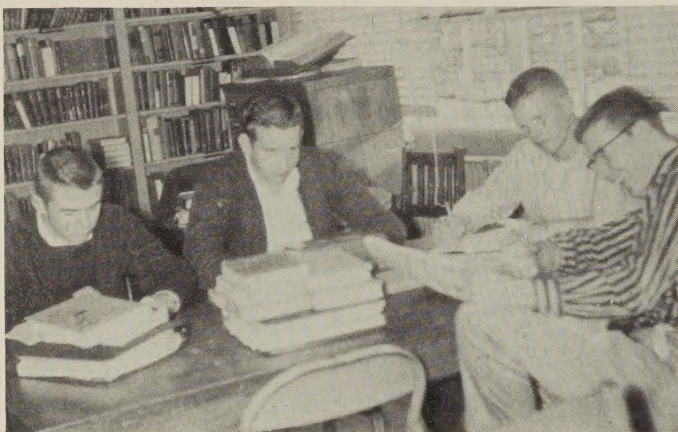
Throughout her years at B. H. S., Mrs. Hutcherson has been a friend to all students. She has tried to instill a love of languages in her pupils. As sponsor of the Ram's Horn, she has worked faithfully and tirelessly to see that the paper came out on schedule. For her time and devotion to us and our projects, we the 1961 Ivy Staff dedicate this annual to her.



Mrs. Hutcherson shows Latin I students how to write sentences.

Dedication

School Day Has Varied Program



A well stocked library enables the students of Blackstone High School to have the information for term papers and reports, to read the morning paper, and to have the opportunity to read good books.

In class, the students strive to learn and to understand the basic needs for tomorrow. By daily participating in class room discussion and by really studying they get to know what makes the world go 'round and why certain events take place.



What could be more important to students than time out for lunch? The well-balanced meals in the cafeteria provide much needed nourishment and bring a much welcomed break in the daily routine.



Music is a part of everyone's life-- and this holds true at Blackstone High School. Many students show great enthusiasm for it by belonging to the Glee Club and Band. They learn to appreciate music from the classics to the lighter, popular selections and enjoy themselves while learning.



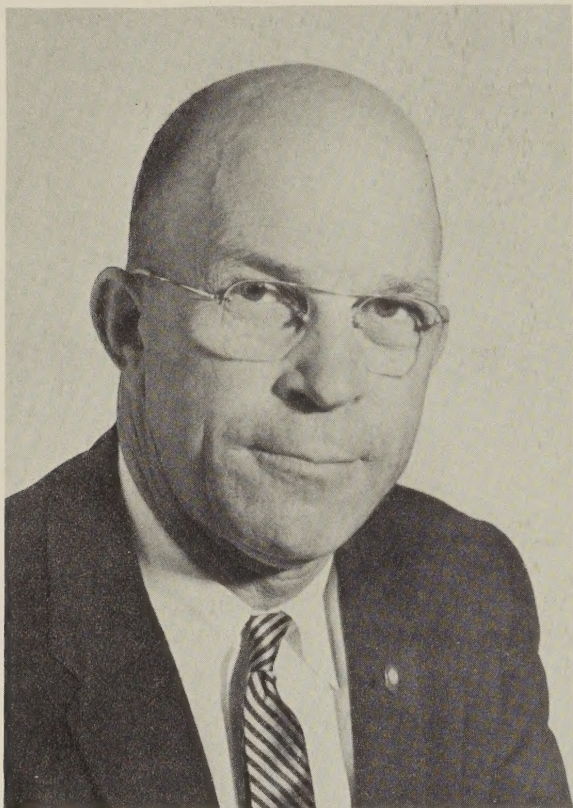
Faculty



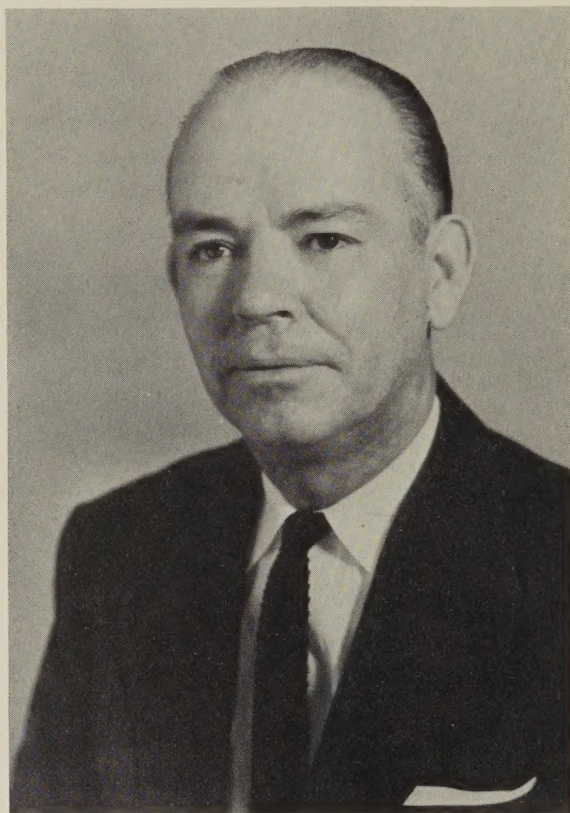
"Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding."

Proverbs 3:13

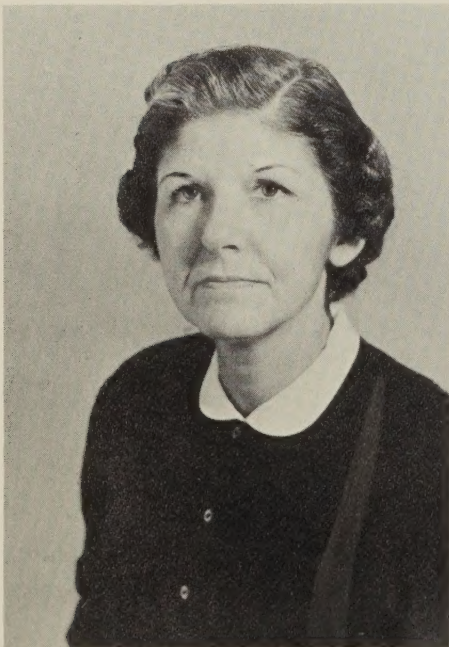
Faculty Sets High Goals for Students



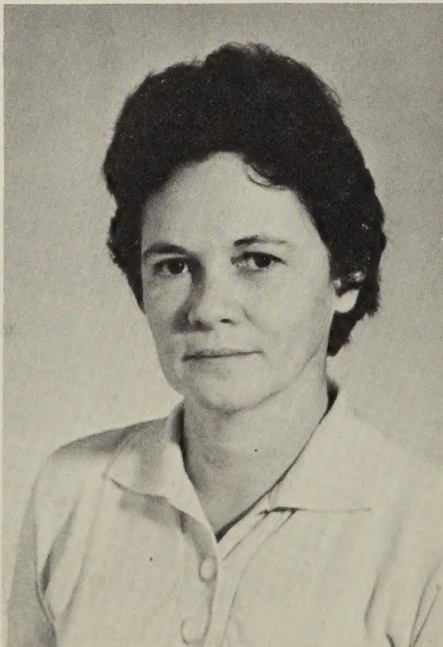
MR. HUGH L. BLANTON
Division Superintendent, Nottoway County
B. S. William & Mary
M. Ed., University of Virginia



MR. WARREN L. THWEATT
Principal
B. S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute
M. S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute



MRS. HARRIET BOOKER
Secretary to Mr. Thweatt



MRS. McKEI L. FARLEY
Driver Education Teacher



MRS. ERMA THWEATT
Dietitian

Faculty Encourages Hard Work and Study



MRS. HILDA B. CASSELL
B. S., Radford College
Home Economics



MRS. VIRGINIA W. COBBS
B. S., University of Alabama
Physical Education, Biology,
& Government



MRS. CORNELIA I. DeBUSK
B. S., Mary Washington
Commercial

The home economics department offers to future homemakers many types of training. Learning to select and to make their own clothing, prepare and cook well balanced meals, interior decoration and child care all are included in the course. By learning to cook and prepare meals in a spacious kitchen helps the students to appreciate the opportunity they are receiving, and helps them plan for their future kitchen and home.



Sponsors Help in Fund Raising



MRS. KATHLEEN SNOW HAMLETT
B. S., Radford State Teachers'
College
English & United States History



MISS MARTHA HAMMOCK
B. A., Longwood College
English, French



MRS. OLIVIA C. HARRISON
B. S., Madison College
Physics, Chemistry &
General Science



A complete science program consisting of general science, biology, chemistry, and physics, offers the college-bound student a good background for further study in this field. By adding new science equipment the science program has grown considerably and accordingly has encouraged the students to become more interested in science. The new equipment not only helps to prepare the student for a better future but also gives the student a better basic understanding.

Extra Curricula Activities Play Big Part



MR. HAROLD H. HOBGOOD
B. A., University of Richmond
Civics, Biology, World Geography



MRS. IZELL H. HUTCHERSON
B. S., Longwood College
English, Latin



MRS. VIRGINIA F. JORDAN
B. A., Randolph-Macon
M. A., Longwood College
English, Dramatics, Guidance

The language department offers English, French, and Latin. By having a complete language department the students receive a good understanding of the English language, and in so doing are prepared for college and life. By giving oral book reports the student is encouraged to speak before others and to lose the tendency of being nervous when such an occasion arises. By making the languages an enjoyable subject, there are more students taking, and enjoying them.



Faculty Endows Students With Knowledge



MR. CHARLES D. PADGETT
B. S., Western Carolina College
World History, Government
Physical Education



MRS. MOLLIE W. SANGER
B. S., Longwood College
B. S., in L. S., George Peabody
Librarian



MR. RAMSEY L. TAYLOR
B. S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute
Science, Agriculture



The agriculture department offers the future farmers a good training course for life on a farm or a job obtaining to soil. A future farmer is offered the knowledge of learning to operate farm machinery, learning to judge and raise improved livestock, and learning better methods of rotating and raising crops. They are also trained in soil conservation and forestry management. A workshop is also included in this program which teaches the students how to make varied objects of use to them and their families.

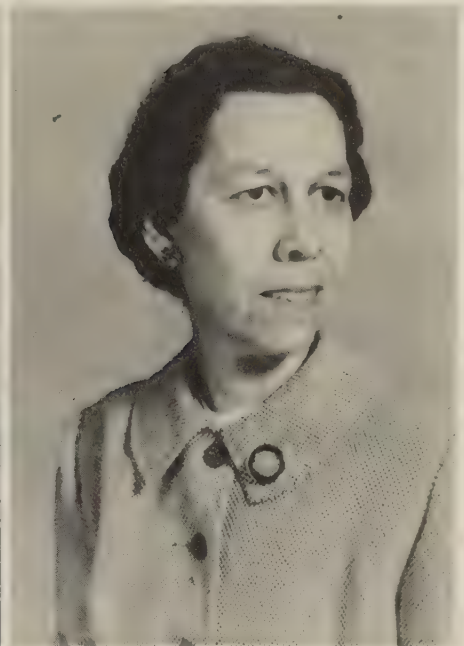
Faculty Helps Students Strive for Their Goal



MISS MARY FRANCES TOWNSEND
B. M. E., Madison College
Music Teacher



MRS. DOROTHY B. TUNSTALL
B. S., Longwood College
Math



MRS. ANNA K. WEATHERFORD
B. S., William & Mary
Mathematics

The mathematics course offers the students algebra, geometry, and trigonometry which they use in their school day every day. By preparing themselves with a good background in mathematics they are prepared for the future. With so much emphasis placed on science and mathematics it is essential that each student who leaves Blackstone High School take with him a good knowledge of mathematics which will help him in college and in his life ahead.

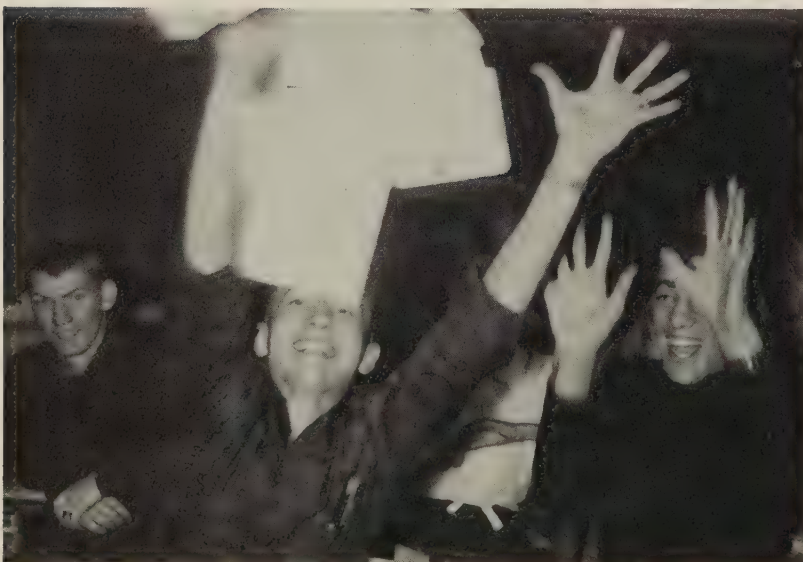


Typical School Day is Not Boring



Eighth Grade students learn that high school offers many opportunities which were not available to them in the lower grades.

Mrs. Sarah Davis, Dr. Epes Harris, and Dr. Charles Scott helped the juniors learn about health careers, especially related to tuberculosis in a very interesting panel discussion.



Miss Hammock's Senior English Class learns that Miss Hammock has a very different approach to giving out test papers. What could be quicker than to throw them?

Classes



"To know wisdom and instruction; to
perceive the words of understanding."
Proverbs 1:2



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Mrs. Hamlett, Sponsor; Robert Borum, President; Willie Louise Wells, Vice President; Sallie Beville, Secretary; Ann Dalton,

Treasurer; Audrey Blevins and Sammy West, S. C. A. Representatives.

Class Colors: Forest Green & White

Class Flower: White Rose & Entwining Ivy

Class Motto: Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

The Class of '61 has one distinction of which they are proud: they have learned to work together harmoniously. Since the bewildering days of the eighth grade they have faced school life together happily. "Rat Day" brought its moments of dread and glory as they held the spotlight briefly. As the members found their places in sports, dramatics, and clubs, they began to make important contributions to the school program.

The biggest job was making money for the Junior-Senior, and many projects brought the class closer together. After months of

planning and secret activities, the Class greeted their guests in oriental splendor as they bade "Sayonara" to the Seniors.

The Senior year has brought its problems and triumphs: "college boards," the Senior Play, applications for college, and always the thought of final exams and graduation. In the meantime there are the meetings to be held, the offices to fill, and the fun of being together that make the Senior year the most challenging and busiest and happiest of high school days.

College-Bound Seniors File Early Applications



BETTY STERLING ATKINSON

Class Officer, Secretary 3; Pep Club 1,2,4,5, Treasurer 3; Dramatics Club 2,3,4,5; Glee Club 2,5; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,4,5; Commercial Club 4; Monogram Club 4,5; Homecoming Court 3, Queen 5; Cheerleader 5; Basketball 3,4,5.



SALLIE KATE BEVILLE

Class Officer, Vice President 1, Secretary 5; Tri-Hi-Y 1, Vice President 2, Chaplin 3, President 4, Historian 5; Model General Assembly 4; Glee Club 1,2,4, Secretary 5; F.H.A. 1, 2,3, President 4; S.C.A. Representative 5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Library Club 2,3,4, President 5; Dramatics Club, Vice President 5; Homecoming Court 5.



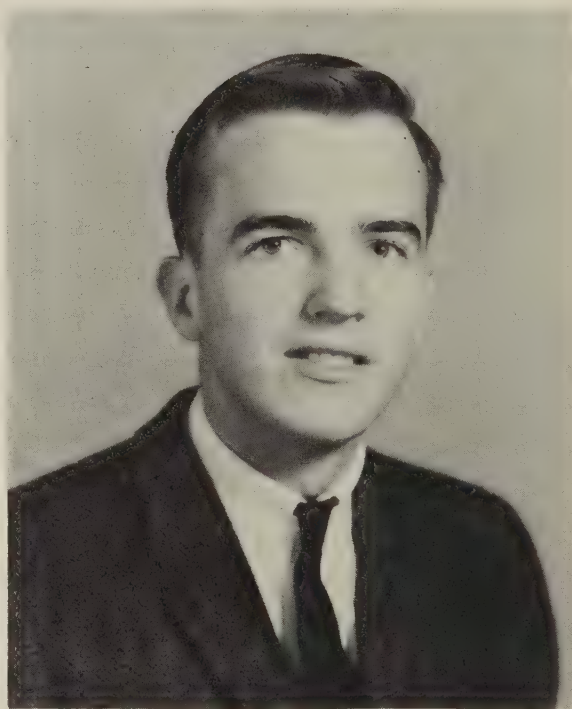
AUDREY CAROL BLEVINS

Dramatics Club 2,3,5, S.C.A. Representative 4; Glee Club 1, 2,4, Treasurer 5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Monogram Club 3,5, Secretary 4; Library Club 2,3,4, Treasurer 5; Cheerleader 4, Head Cheerleader 5; Basketball 2,3,5, Co-Captain 4; Class Officer, S.C.A. Representative 5; Homecoming Court 4.

Graduates Eagerly Compile Invitation Lists

ROBERT LEE BORUM

Ivy Staff 1,2,3,4,5; S.C.A. Program Chairman 5; Quill & Scroll 4,5; Library Club 4,5; History Club 5, S.C.A. Representative 4; National Honor Society 4, President 5; Monogram Club 2,3,4,5; Glee Club 4,5; Class Officer, Vice President 2, President 4,5; Football 3; Basketball 2,3,4,5; Plays 4.

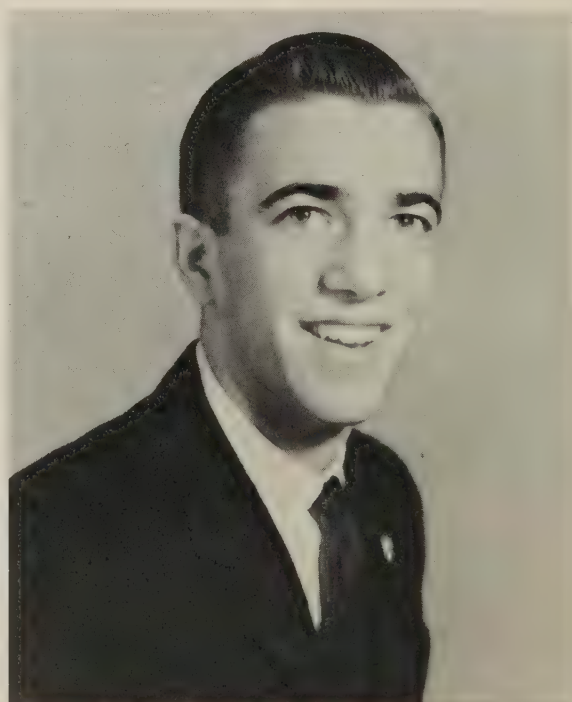


GRAY WILFRED BRADFORD

Glee Club 3,4; Band 4; F.F.A. 1,2,3, Treasurer 4; Baseball 1,2; Football 1,2.

PAUL BROWN CASSELL, JR.

Football 3; Basketball 4,5; Baseball 3; History Club 4,5; Dramatics Club 4,5; National Honor Society 4, S.C.A. Representative 5; Glee Club 5; Quill & Scroll, Secretary 4, Treasurer 5; Library Club 2, Reporter 3, Vice President 4,5; Ram's Horn Staff 3, Assistant Editor 4, Editor 5; S.I.P.A. 3,4.



Seniors Hopefully Take College Boards



DELLA ANNE CHRISTIAN

Class Officer, S.C.A. Representative 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Library Club 2,3,4,5; Dramatics Club 2,3,4,5; Glee Club 2,4, President 5; History Club 4, S.C.A. Representative 5; Thespian 4, President 5; Ivy Staff 2,5, Business Manager 3, Assistant Editor 4; S.I.P.A. 3; Majorette 2; Basketball 3,4; Cheerleader 4,5; Monogram Club 4,5; National Honor Society 4, Vice President 5; Plays 1,2, Mental Health Play 3, District 3,4, State 3,4; Thespian 4,5.



HARRIS WAKEFIELD DANIEL

Class Officer, Vice President 3; Glee Club 4, Vice President 5; Dramatics Club 5; Representative to Memorial Center 5; History Club 4,5; Football 3; Library Club 3, S.C.A. Representative 3,4,5; S.C.A. Council 3,4,5; Ram's Horn 5.



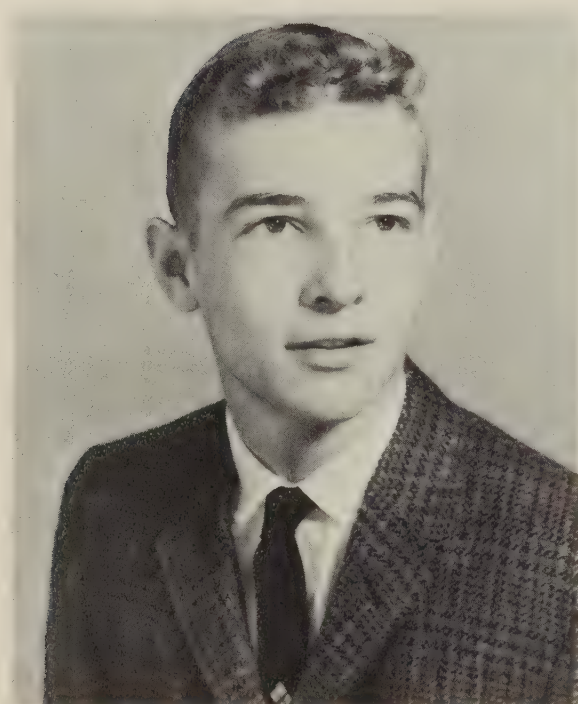
MARION ANN DALTON

Pep Club 1,2,3,5, Vice President 4; Homecoming Court 1, Dramatics Club 2,3,5, Treasurer 4; Glee Club 2,4,5; Tri-Hi-Y 5, Treasurer 2, Secretary 3; Class Officer, Secretary 3, Treasurer 5; Library Club 3,4,5; Basketball 3,4; Monogram Club 4,5; Cheerleader 4,5.

Term Papers Require Tedious Research

LILLIAN VIRGINIA DANIEL

Glee Club 2,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Homecoming Court 2; F.H.A. 3, Vice President 4, President 5; Basketball Manager 3,4,5; Monogram Club 4,5; Ram's Horn Staff, Girl's Sport Editor 4,5; Dramatics Club 5.



WILLIAM BLAND DARBY

Class Officer, Treasurer 1, Ivy Staff 2,4,5, Assistant Business Manager 3; Representative to Bellefonte Recreational Association 4; S.C.A. Vice President 5; Glee Club 5, Vice President 4; District S.C.A. Convention 5; Boy's State 4; Library Club 4,5; Dramatics Club 5.

WILLIAM MARVIN DAVIS

Band 1,2,4,5; Glee Club 2,4,5; F.F.A. 2,3,4; Football 3,4; Dramatics Club 3,4; Monogram Club 5; Hi-Y 2.



Thirty-Six Seniors Compose the Class of '61



REBECCA MAUDE GRACEY

S.C.A. Council 1,2,3,4, Recording Secretary 5; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3, 4; Glee Club 2,4,5; F.H.A. 2,3,5, Treasurer 4; Pep Club 1,2, 3,5, Secretary 4; Monogram Club 5, Treasurer 4; Basketball 2,3,4,5; Cheerleader 5, Head Cheerleader 4; Homecoming Court 4; Class Officer, Secretary 4; Girl's State 4; District S.C.A. Convention 5.

BETTY ANN HASTINGS

Transferred 5; Safety Patrol 1,2,5; F.H.A. 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; Dramatics Club 5; National Honor Society 5.



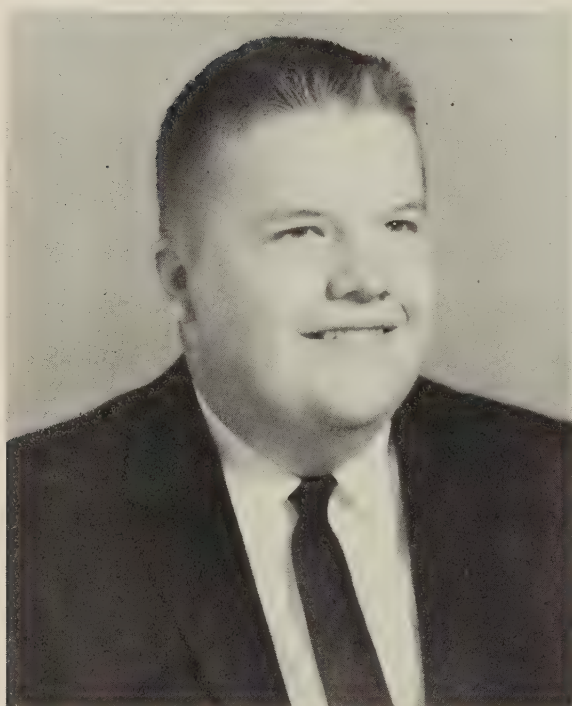
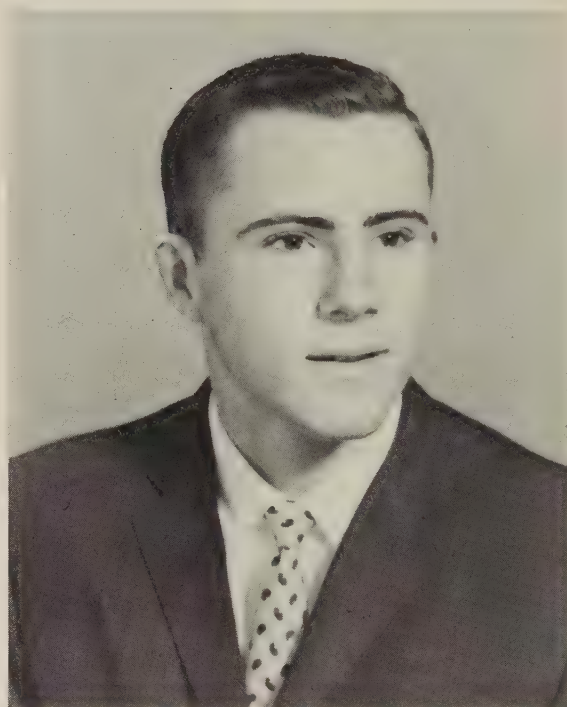
WALLACE LEE HOOD

F.F.A. 2,3,5, Reporter 4; Glee Club 4,5; Safety Patrol 4,5.

Seniors Anticipate Junior-Senior Theme

JAMES BERNARD INGE, JR.

Class Officer, S.C.A. Representative 3; Football 3, Manager 1; Baseball 4,5; Monogram Club 1,2,3,4,5.

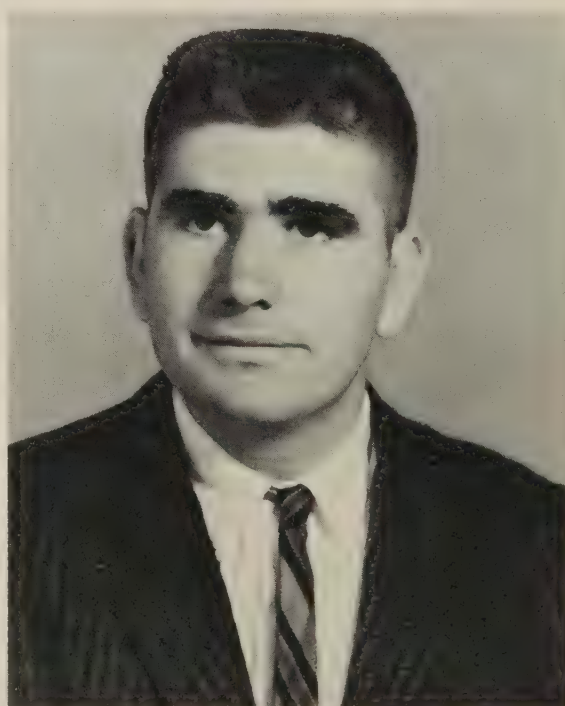


EDWARD MEIGS JONES

Football 2,3,4, Manager 5; Baseball, Manager 1; Basketball, Manager 3,4; Monogram Club 2,4,5, Vice President 3; History Club 4,5; Library Club 5; Ram's Horn Staff 5.

WILLIAM DOUGLAS KREIDER

F.F.A. 1,4, Secretary 2,3; Glee Club 1,2,4,5; Safety Patrol 2, Dramatics Club 3,4; Thespian 4, S.C.A. Representative 5; Football 3,4,5.



Seniors Present Senior Play



DEWEY EUGENE LLOYD
Commercial Club 4.



LOIS BRENDA LYNDE
Transferred 4; F.H.A. 4,5; Glee Club 5; Tri-Hi-Y 5; Commercial Club 4.



FRANCES MAE McDANIEL
Glee Club 2, Dramatics Club 5; Pep Club 4,5; Safety Patrol 2,3,4,5; Commercial Club 3,4; Tri-Hi-Y 5.

Futures Prophesied at Banquet



SAMUEL FREDERICK SANGER, JR.
Glee Club 4,5; Band 1,2,4,5; F.F.A. 2,3.



EDWARD BLAKE STULTZ, JR.
Transferred 4; Library Club 5; Dramatics Club 5.

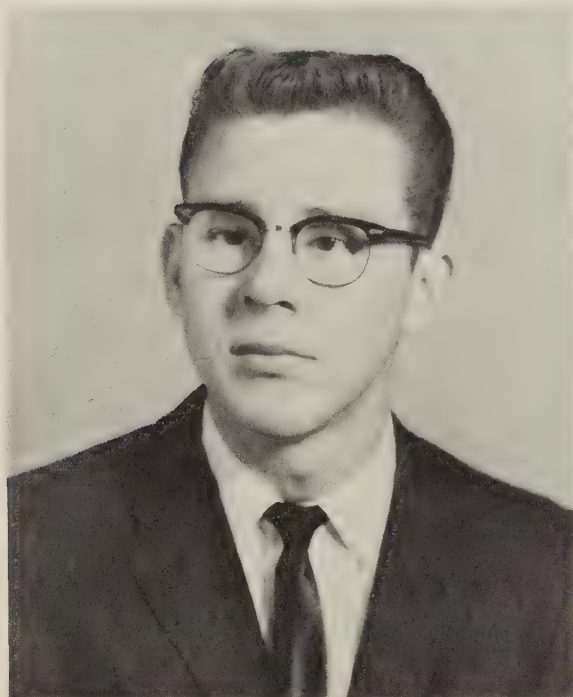


WILLIAM RILEY SUIT
Transferred 5; Dramatics Club 5; Library Club 5; Ram's
Horn Staff 5; Glee Club 5.

Final Exams Bring Sighs of Relief

BONNIE SUE SUTPHIN

Ivy Staff 3,4, Editor 5; S.I.P.A. 4; Quill & Scroll 4, Vice President 5; History Club 4,5; Dramatics Club 3,4,5; Thespian 4, 5; Tri-Hi-Y 3,4,5; Glee Club 1,2,4,5; Band 1,2,4,5; S.C.A. Council, Songleader 5; Library Club 2,3,5, Reporter 4; District S.C.A. Convention 4,5; Bullentin Board Chairman 4.



HAROLD BRADLEY THROCKMORTON
F.F.A. 1,3; Commercial Club 3.

SUE ELLEN TUGGLE

Glee Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; S.C.A. Council 2,3; Dramatics Club 2,3,4,5,6; Tri-Hi-Y 2,4; Commercial Club 5; Ram's Horn Staff, Assistant Production Editor 5, Production Editor 6; S.I.P.A. 5.



Classmates Sadly Part But Hearts Linger On



JAMES ANDERSON WAGONER

Quill & Scroll, Treasurer 4, S.C.A. Representative 5; History Club 3, Secretary-Treasurer 4, President 5; Dramatics Club 4, Treasurer 5; Thespian 4, Vice President 5; Glee Club 2, S.C.A. Representative 4; F.F.A. 2, Reporter 3; Ram's Horn Staff 3,4,5; Library Club 4, Vice President 5; Building and Grounds Chairman 5; Class Officer, Treasurer 5; Football 5; Plays, District 4, State 4.



PHYLLIS JANE WARD

Glee Club 2,4,5; F.H.A. 3,4,5; Pep Club 3,4,5; Basketball 3; Commercial Club 4.



MOYER EVERT WEBB

F.A.A. 2,3,4,5; K.V.G. 2,3,4,5.

Commencement Program Climaxes Senior Year

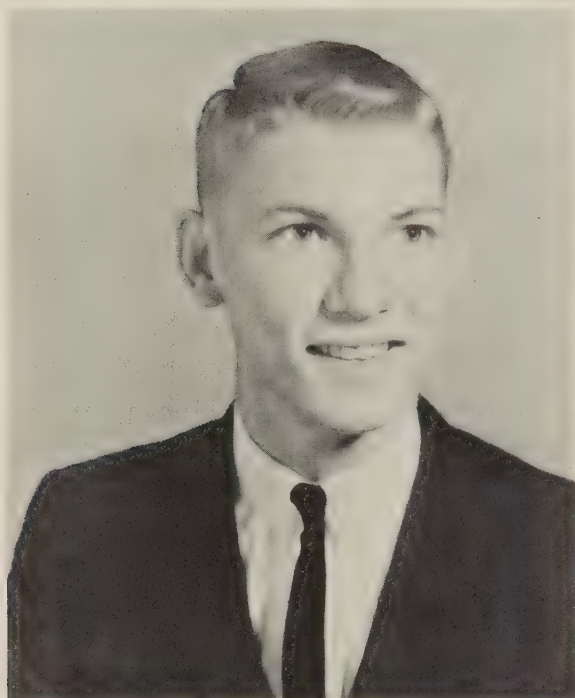
WILLIE LOUISE WELLS

S.C.A. Council 4, Treasurer 5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Dramatics Club 2,3,4,5; Glee Club 2,4,5; Tri-Hi-Y 2,3,5, S.C.A. Representative 4; Basketball 2,3,4,5; History Club 4, Secretary 5; National Honor Society 4, Secretary 5; Ram's Horn Staff 5; Class Officer, President 1, Vice President 5; District S.C.A. Convention 5; Homecoming Court 5.



SAMUEL HARPER WEST

Football 3, Co-Captain 4,5; Basketball 2,3,4,5; Library Club 3; Class Officer, Treasurer 3, S.C.A. Representative 4,5; Monogram Club 3, Vice President 4, President 5; Safety Chairman 4.



PATRICIA ANNE WILSON

Glee Club 1,2,4,5; Pep Club 1,2,3,4,5; Dramatics Club 1,3,4,5; Commercial Club 3,4,5; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Homecoming Court 2; Majorette 2, Head Majorette 3.



Seniors Recall Highlights of Year



Whoever thought of term papers anyway?



Sallie Kate and Betty get final counseling.



It won't be long now!



Confused Senior?



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS: Mrs. Tunstall, Sponsor; Billy Jones, President; Donnie Koonce, Vice President; Frances Bolton,

Secretary; Alliene Tuggle, Treasurer; Fred Palmore, Ginger Blanton, S.C.A. Representatives.



Dale Adams



Barbara Beville



Dorothy Bishop

Class Rings Arrive At Last



Harold Bishop



Ginger Blanton



Frances Bolton



Johnny Booker



Leroy Bradshaw



James Cabaniss



Marilyn Covington



Betty Crawley



Shelby Crews

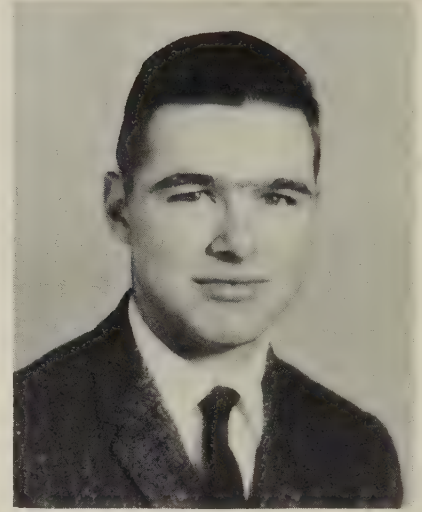
Juniors Select Delegates to Girls' and Boys' State



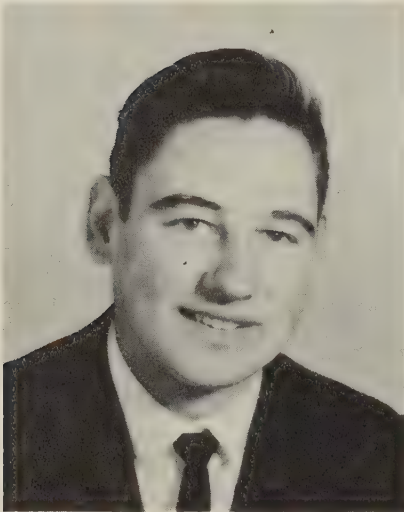
Gloria Dalton



Goldie Dalton



Fred Davis



Larry Davis



Ann Dishmann



Nannie Drawbond



Rita Eaton



Alice Gaskill



Mary Rebecca Gravatt

Money For Junior-Senior Poses Problem



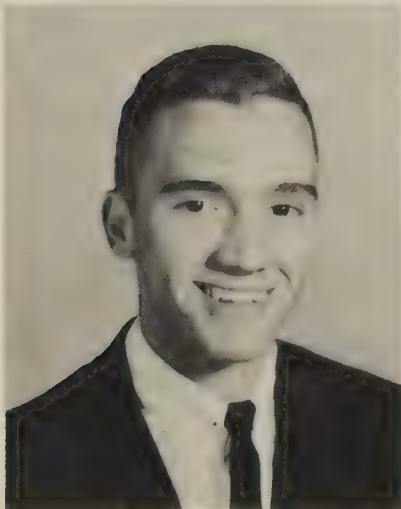
Bobbie Jo Harrell



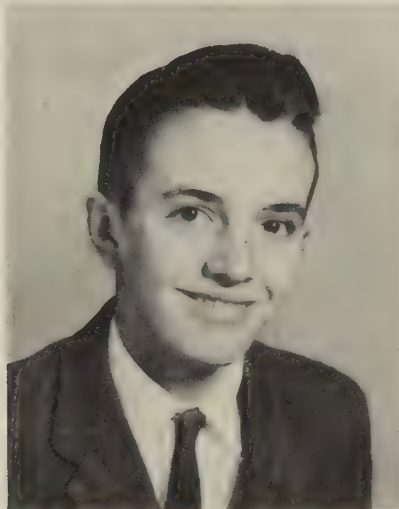
Linda Hollomon



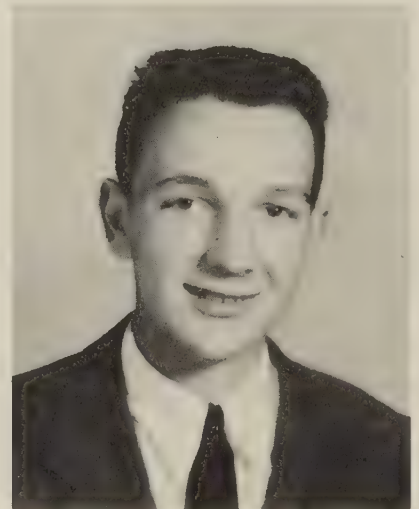
Billy Jones



Donnie Koonce



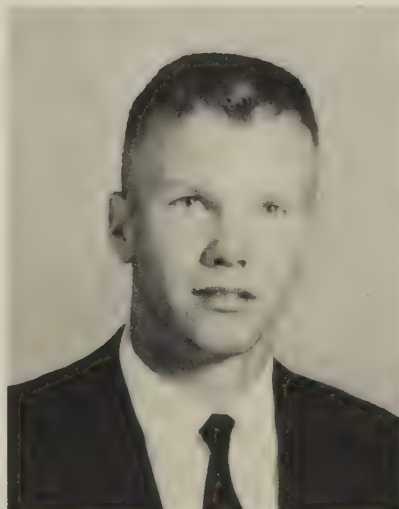
Gary Lawrence



Johnny Martin



Judy Orms

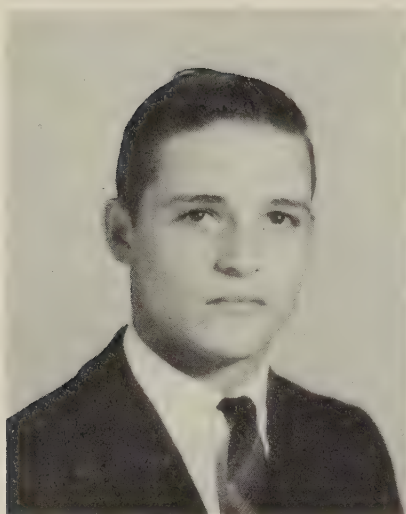


Larry Orange

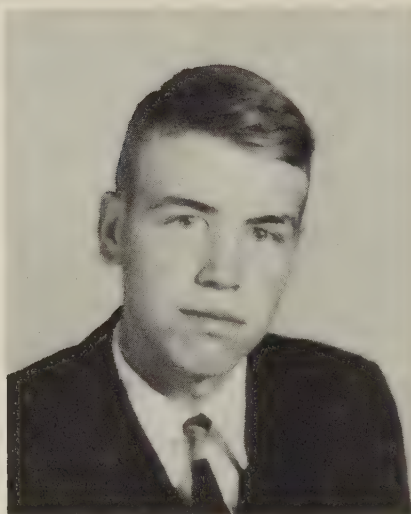


Patricia Naugle

Juniors Find Career Day Valuable



Fred Palmore



William Paulett



Gloria Perkinson



Alliene Tuggle



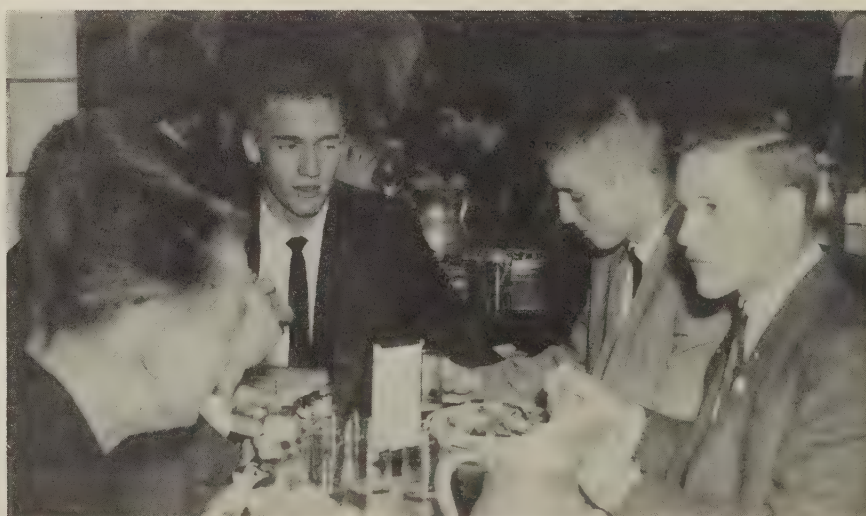
Annette Wenger



Patricia Whirley



Loraine White



Juniors enjoy good meal at Career Day.



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS: David Murray, President; Anne Lewis Rand, Vice President; Byrd Crowder, Secretary; Mary

Jane Jones, Treasurer; Mary Virginia Manson, Martha Beville, S.C.A. Representatives; Mrs. Hutcherson, Sponsor.



Jennifer Adams



Sandra Andrews

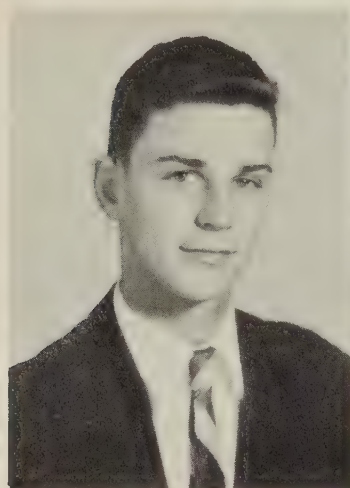


Bobby Alkire

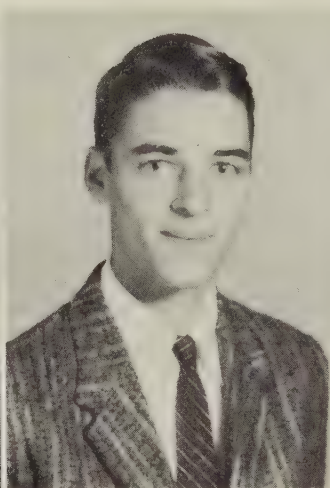


Martha Beville

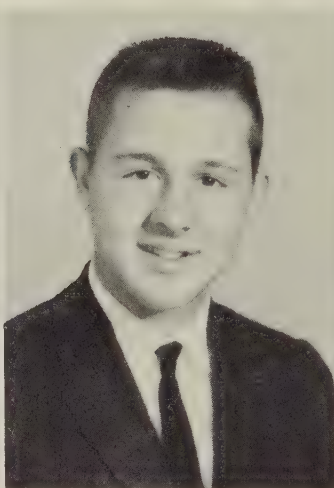
Sophomores Plan Ahead to Junior-Senior



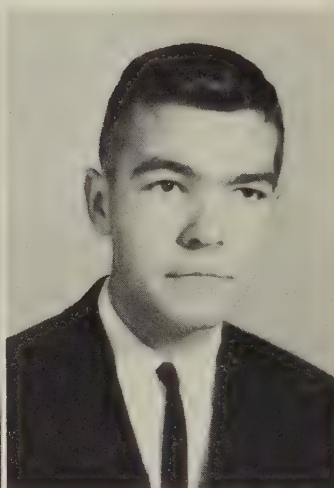
Charles Blevins



G. T. Bridgeman



Robert Cassada



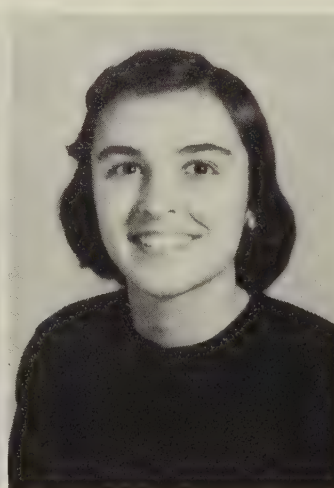
Sammy Clay



Natalie Coleman



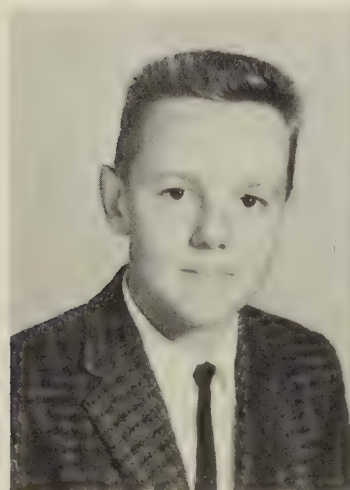
Dianne Collins



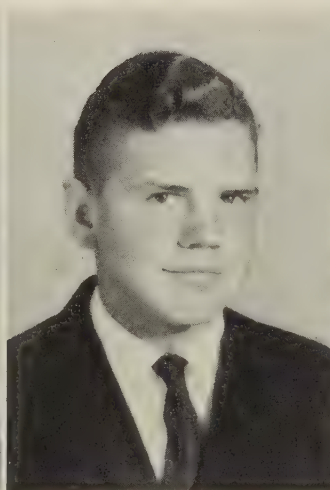
Byrd Crowder



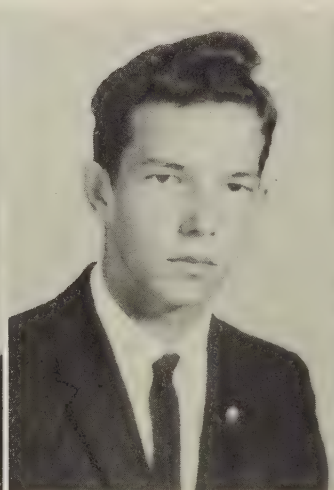
Peggy Daniels



Joe Davis



William Drinkwater



Barry Dykes

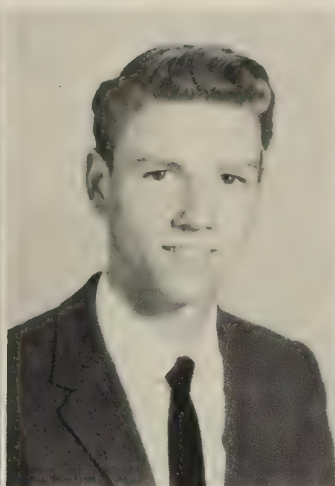


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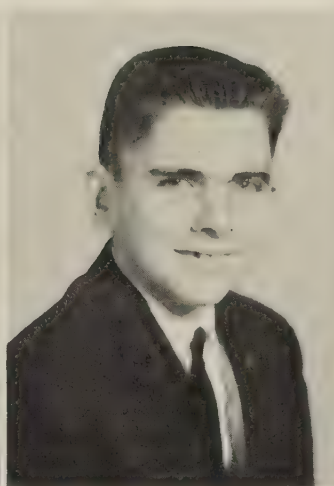
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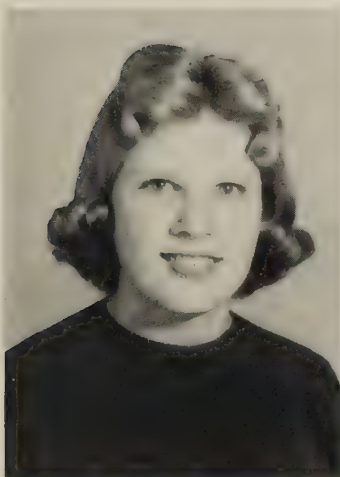
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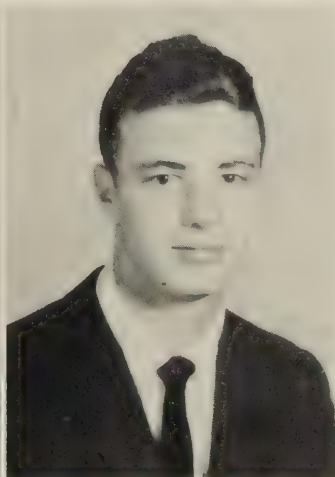
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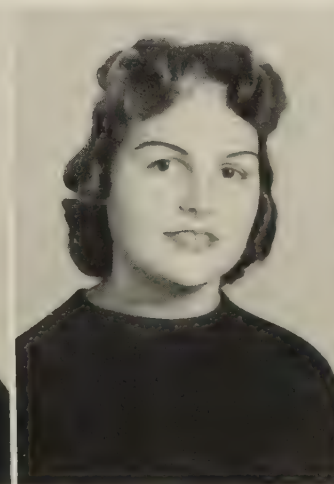
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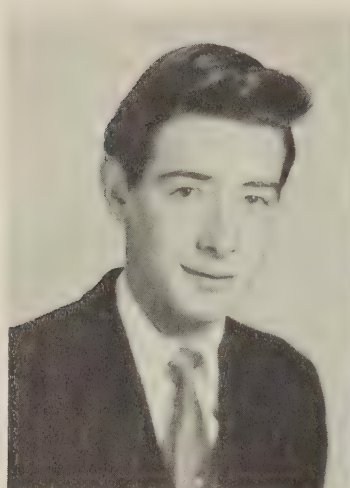


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Elizabeth Major

Algebra II and Latin II Are Double Threat



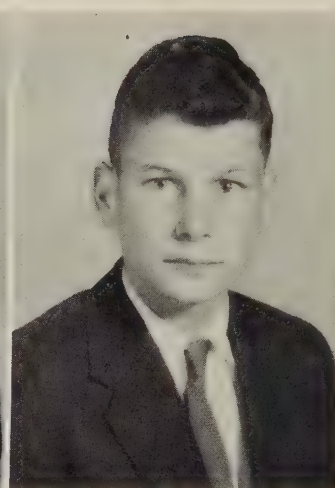
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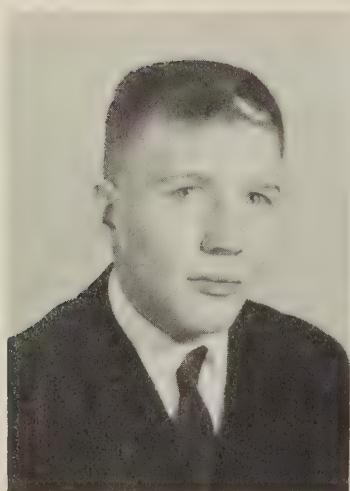
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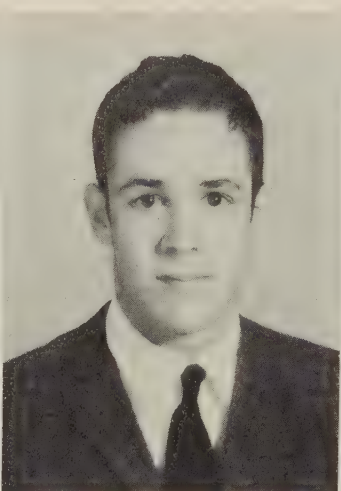
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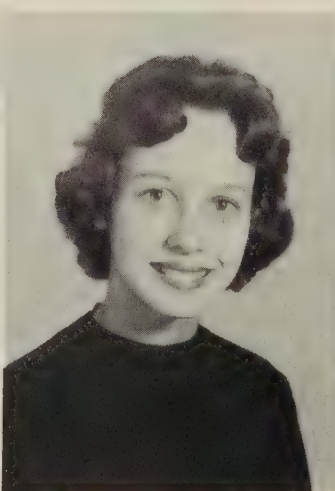
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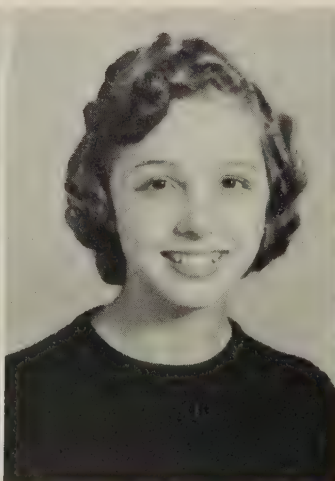
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Irene Rash



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Hard Work is Characteristic of Sophomores



Sammy Rogers



Lucy Sanger



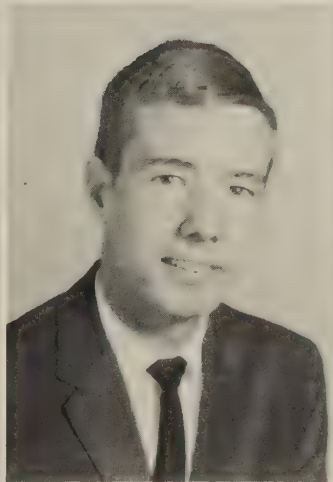
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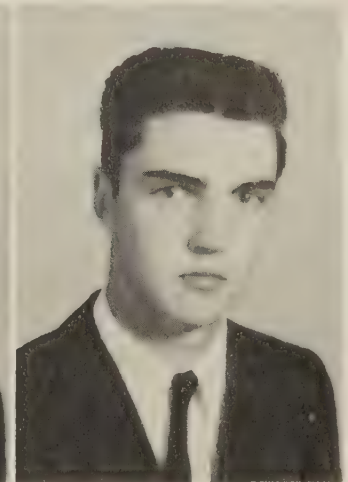
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Pack Sheffield



Sarah Wagoner



Preston Williams



Meade Williamson



Pat Williamson



Brenda Winn



Jenny Read Yelverton



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Martha Abel

Lonnie Adams

Jeanette Armes

Donna Baldwin

Peggy Baskervill

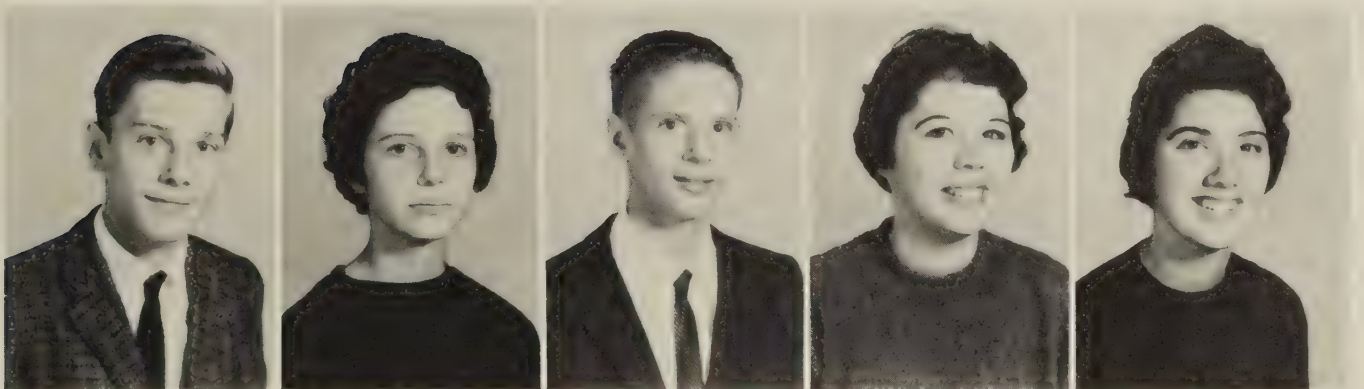
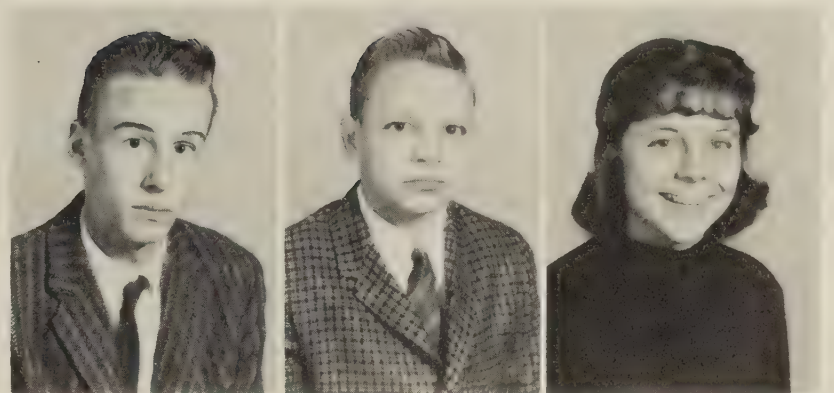
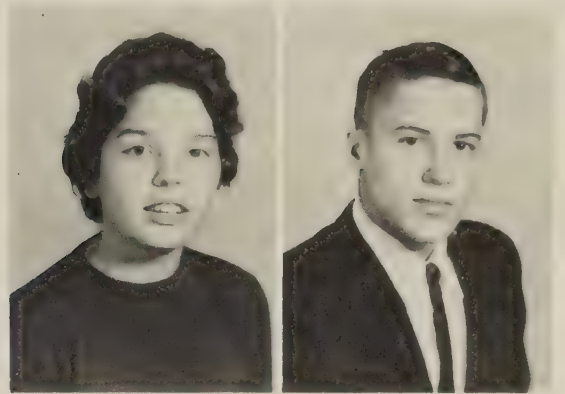
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William Burr
William Carraway
Brenda Carrier

Dale Carrier
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Dance Launches Moneymaking Plans



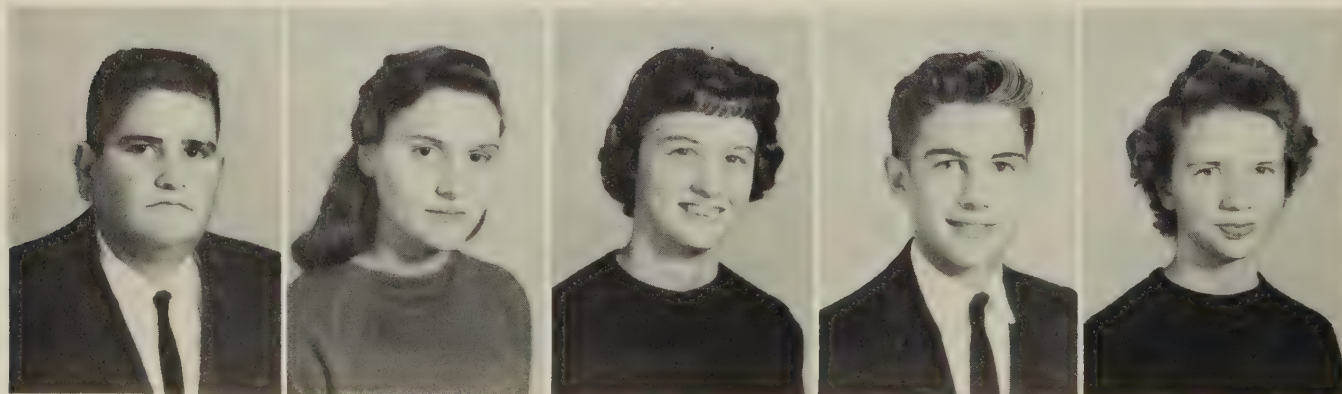
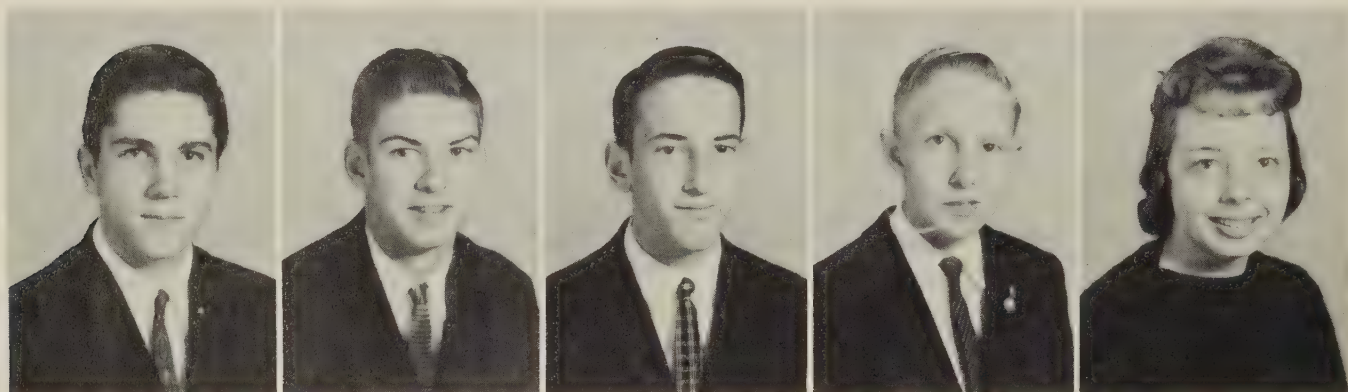
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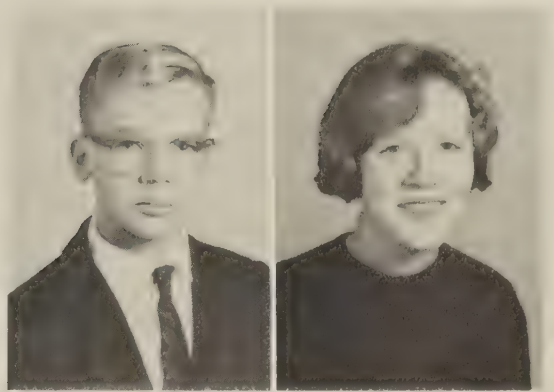
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Larry Prue
Margaret Ritchie

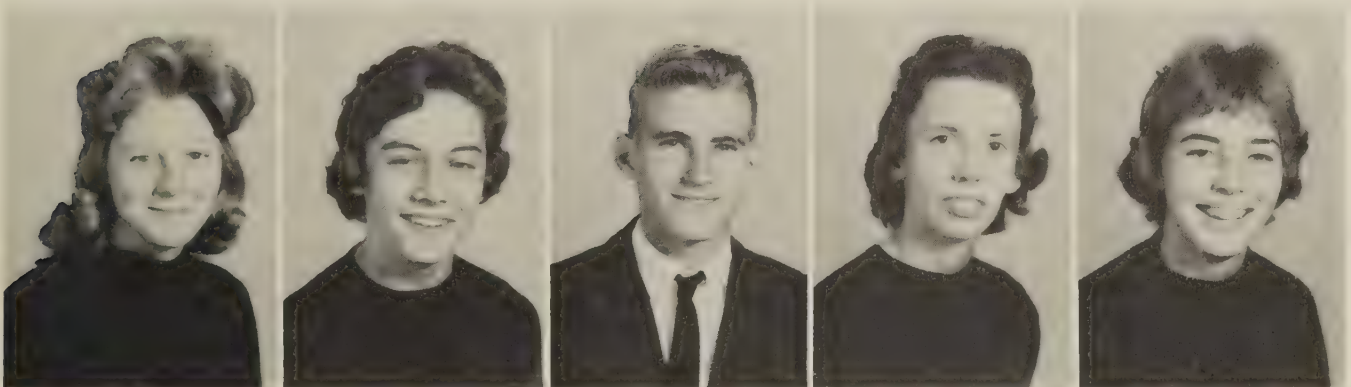


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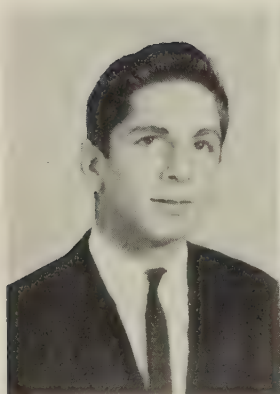
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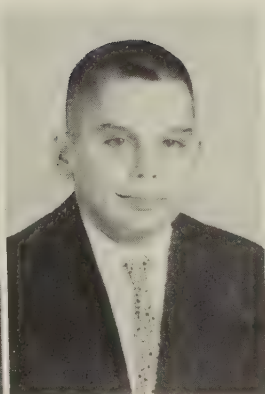


EIGHTH GRADE OFFICERS: Johnny Farley, President; Sammy Dalton, Vice President; Larry Marshall,

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Robert Armes



Dukey Abel



Emily Blevins



Jane Bolton

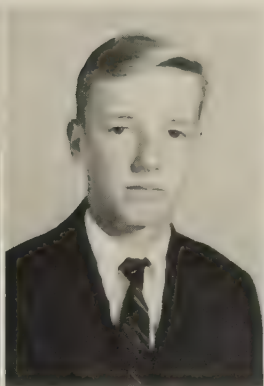


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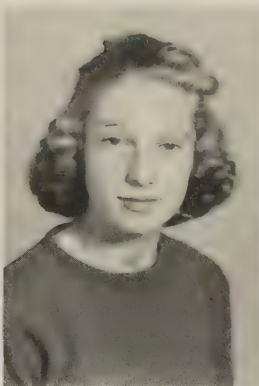
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Joe Burr



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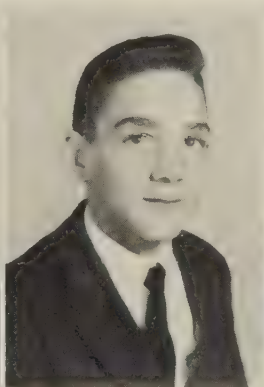
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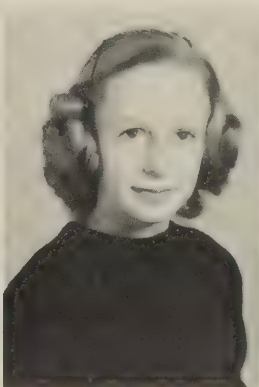
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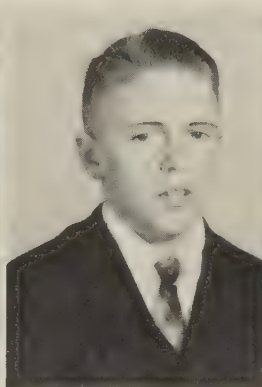
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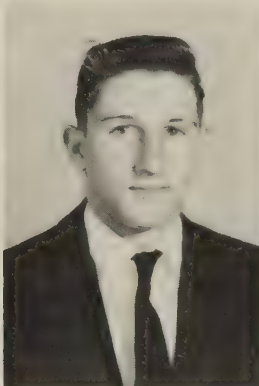
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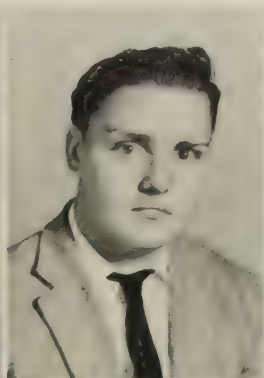
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Changing Classes Is a New Experience



Peggy Lewis



Mary Lucy



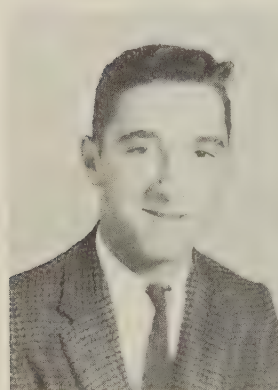
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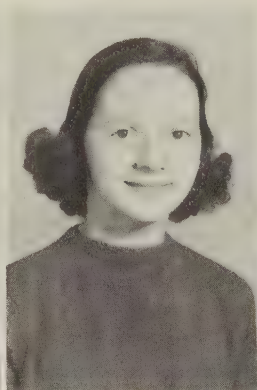
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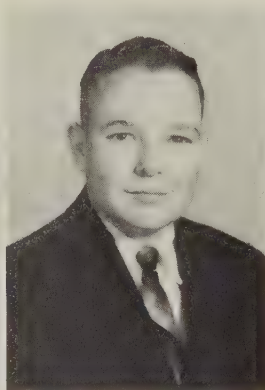
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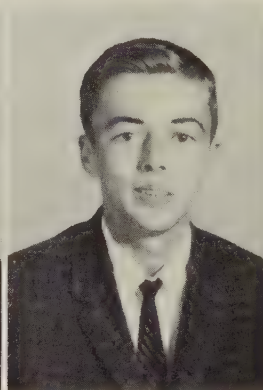
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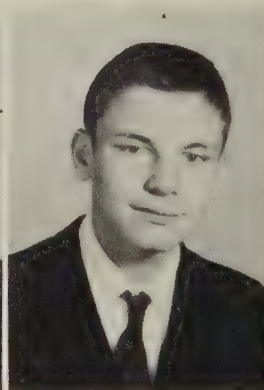
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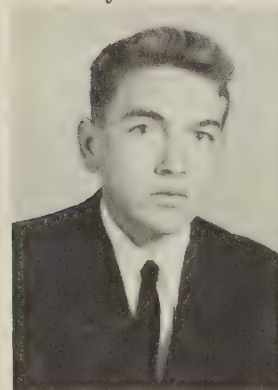
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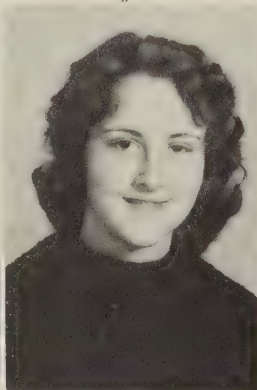
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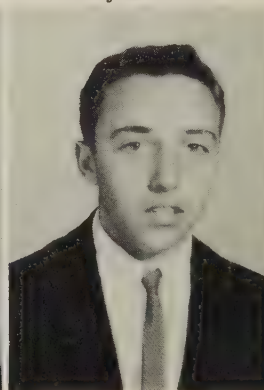
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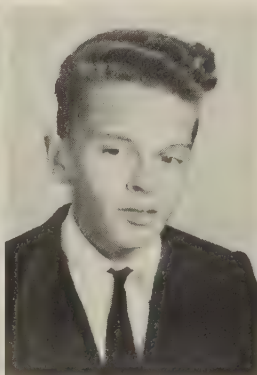
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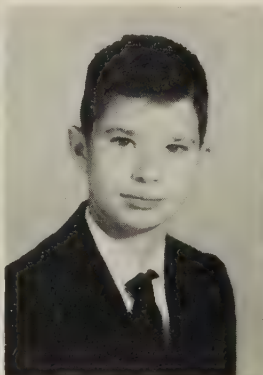
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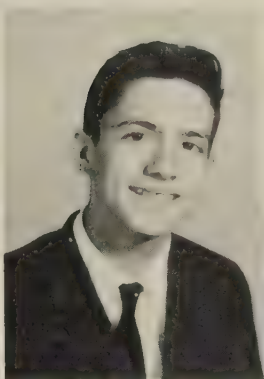


John Rutledge

8th Graders Participate In Clubs



Jerry Schnepf



Charles Stell



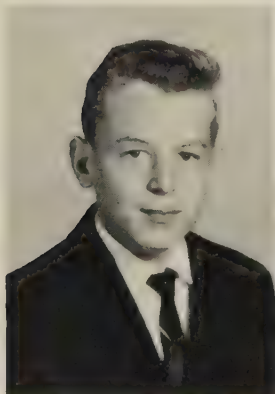
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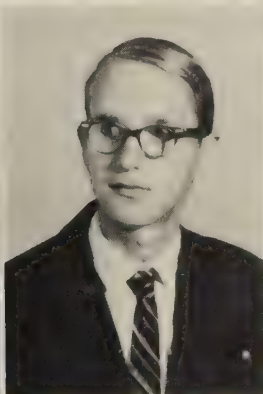
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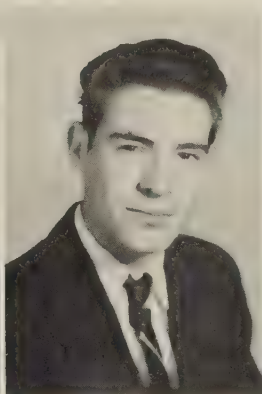
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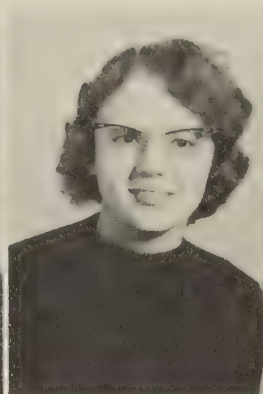
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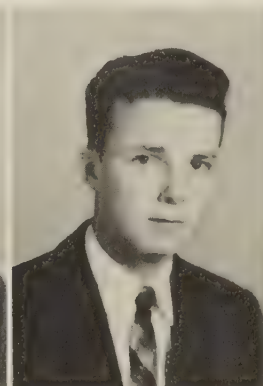
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Judy Vetrone



Wade Watson



Tommy Williams



Carole Williamson



Mary Williamson



Dale Winn



Dwight Wray



Beverly Wrey

Honor Graduates Are Recognized



Honor Graduates: Willie Louise Wells, Valedictorian; James Anderson Wagoner, Salutatorian; Robert Lee Borum, Della Anne Christian, Betty Ann Hastings, Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Sallie Kate Beville, William Riley Suit, Paul Brown Cassell, Jr., Marion Ann Dalton.

Organizations



It is easier for a man
to be loyal to his club
than to his planet.
One Man's Meat

S.C.A. Sponsors Homecoming Events



S.C.A. Council - First Row: Tommy Rogers, President; Billy Darby, Vice-President; Rebecca Gracey, Recording Secretary; Pack Sheffield, Corresponding Secretary; Willie Wells, Treasurer; Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Song Leader; Tommy Orange, Pianist; Miss Hammock, Sponsor. Second Row: Mary Manson, Martha Beville, Shirley Rogers, Mary Williamson, Sallie Beville, Mary Jane Jones, Judy Forrester, Mary Hurt, Dukie Abel. Third Row: Peggy Daniels, Ginger Blanton, Della Christian, Linda Hollomon, Audrey Blevins, Harris Daniel, William Krieder, James Wagoner. Fourth Row: Sammy West, Donnie Koonce, Robert Borum, Brownny Cassell, Leroy Bradshaw, Larry Orange, Fred Palmore, Jimmy Crawley.



S.C.A. Officers-Left to Right: Tommy Orange, Pianist; Pack Sheffield, Coresponding Secretary; Willie Louise Wells, Treasurer; Tommy Rogers, President; Rebecca Gracey, Recording Secretary; Billy Darby, Vice-President; Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Song Leader.

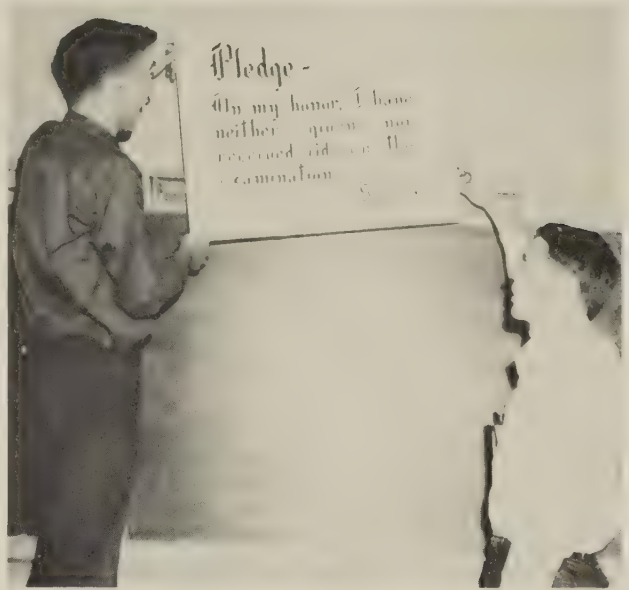
The backbone of B.H.S. has again done a splendid job of governing the student activities in a democratic form of government. Not only did they complete their regular duties of passing dances, issuing club charters, and sponsoring the Homecoming Dance, but they also stimulated the students to go over their quota in the annual magazine campaign. Continuously holding drives for needy organizations and contributing to the same, their Teacher's Talents Assembly for the March of Dimes proved to be a big success.

National Honor Society Holds High Standards

The National Honor Society fulfills its motto, "Noblesse Obligue", by such projects as checking the honor roll, encouraging the Five-Point Program, and keeping challenging posters in the hall.

Each year students breathlessly await the impressive tapping ceremony of adding new members to the roll. Scholarship, leadership, character, and service are the personal requirements for membership in this club. The N.H.S. plaque hangs in the hall displaying the names of all the past and present members.

Brownny and James put honor posters in each of the class rooms.



National Honor Society - First Row: Betty Hastings, Della Anne Christian, Willie Louise Wells, Secretary; Mrs. Weatherford, Sponsor. Second Row: Brownny Cassell, S.C.A. Representative; James Wagoner, Treasurer; Robert Borum, President.



Deadlines Haunt Ivy Staff



Ivy Staff - Seated: Byrd Crowder, Assistant Business Manager; Anne Lewis Rand, Business Manager; Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Editor; Della Anne Christian, Linda Hollomon, S.C.A. Representative. Standing: Betty Crawley, Tommy Orange, Barbara Paulus, Robert Lee Borum, Jenny Read Yelverton, Billy Darby, Anne Carter Harrison, Leroy Bradshaw.



Byrd sells staff members, Joe and Mary Rebecca, an annual.

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! Ivy Staff members are going through the whole procedure again. Cameras snap at all events of the school year in the halls. All pictures must be carefully planned and taken. Last minute write-ups are always a problem. These must be witty and eyecatching covering in a few words all the projects of the various organizations. Typewriters click away getting the copy ready to meet those deadlines. At last everything is sent in and we wait anxiously to see the finished product.

Quill And Scroll Acknowledges Laudible Work

Write! Write! Write! This is the main objective of the Quill & Scroll. To qualify for membership, students must do outstanding work on a school publication and enjoy writing. A national honor club organized in '57, this literary society encourages creative writing among the students and acknowledges laudible work.

Bonnie Sue and Brownny work on their publications.



Quill and Scroll - Seated: Della Anne Christian, President; James Wagoner, S.C.A. Representative; Mrs. Izelle Hutcherson, Sponsor; Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Vice-President. Standing: Brownny Cassell, Treasurer; Robert Borum, Secretary.



History Club Publishes Local Recipes



The W. R. Turner History Club worked hard this year to publish old Nottoway recipes into a cookbook, "The Key Basket." This book was met with enthusiastic public response and did much to increase the club's treasury. The money from this project and others went toward helping with the Civil War Centennial. There was also an exhibit of Civil War relics which helped to promote local interest in the centennial.

Willie Louise sells a cookbook, made by the club to Ann.

History Club - First Row: James Wagoner, President; Betty Crawley, Vice-President; Willie Louise Wells, Secretary; Jenny Read Yelverton, Treasurer; Della Anne Christian, S.C.A. Representative. Second Row: Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Annette Wenger, Ginger Blanton, Byrd Crowder. Third Row: Robert Borum, Ned Jones. Fourth Row: Brownny Cassell, Harris Daniel.



Faithful Work Makes Ram's Horn Success



Ram's Horn Staff - Seated: Mrs. Hutcherson, Sponsor; Sammy Clay, Business Manager, Annette Wenger, Assistant Editor; Brownny Cassell, Editor; Sue Ellen Tuggle, Production Editor; Mary Virginia Hurt, Art Editor, S.C.A. Representative; Ned Jones. First Row: Mrs. DeBusk, Sponsor; Peggy Daniels, Martha Beville, Patricia Naugle, Willie Louise Wells, Barbara Beville, Virginia Daniel. Second Row: James Wagoner, Mary Virginia Manson, Frances Bolton, Judy Nichols, Riley Suit, Harris Daniel, David Murray, Sports Editor.

Each week finds the Ram's Horn staff busy with typing, proofreading, stencils, and mimeographing to get the paper out for the eager students. Each week the editorial points out to the students something that could be done by them to help make B.H.S. a better school.

This year for the third consecutive time the Ram's Horn put out a special issue on tuberculosis and the work of the Tuberculosis Association, and were awarded the first place district award.

Mrs. DeBusk, Mrs. Hutcherson, and Brownny inspect the Ram's Horn display.



Dramatics Club Produces "Blue Beard"



This year the Dramatics Club and the dramatics class worked together to arouse interest in dramatics in the school. The dramatics class in co-operation with the Ivy Staff presented "This Is Your Life, Miss Ivy" for an assembly program. They also gave one assembly program based on original pantomimes which was very well received by the students.

Ginger and Johnny delight audience in Dramatics Club assembly.

Dramatics Club - Seated: Mary Rebecca Gravatt, S.C.A. Representative; James Wagoner, Treasurer; Barbara Paulus, Secretary; Betty Crawley, President; Sallie Kate Beville, Vice-President. First Row: Ginger Blanton, Peggy Baskervill, Betty Hastings, Sue Ellen Tuggle, Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Willie Wells, Linda Hollomon, Ann Dalton, Loraine White, Jenny Yelverton, Mary Jane Jones, Mrs. Jordan, Sponsor. Second Row: Beverly Booker, Margaret Suit, Becky Daniels, Kathy Raiser, Dale Winn, Anne Lewis Rand. Third Row: Virginia Daniel, Barbara Beville, Patricia Naugle, Patricia Harrison, Della Ann Christian, Gloria Perkinson, Linda Reams, Peggy Daniels, Edith Ann Lewis, Byrd Crowder, Judy Orms, Tommy Orange, Sammy Dalton. Fourth Row: Edward Stultz, Frances McDaniel, Natalie Coleman, Mary Virginia Manson. Fifth Row: Larry Davis, Sammy Clay, Leroy Bradshaw, William Krieder, Brownly Cassell, Riley Suit, Sammy West, Robert Borum, Billy Darby, Harris Daniel, Warren Green, Joe Farrar.



Dramatic Ability Earns Membership



Thespians - Seated: Della Ann Christian, President; Betty Crawley, Treasurer; Bonnie Sue Sutphin. Standing: Mrs. Jordan, Sponsor; Robert Borum, Vice-President; William Krieder, S.C.A. Representative; James Wagoner, Secretary.

"Act well your part; there all the honor lies." This is the motto of Troup 891 of the National Thespian Society. Membership is earned through outstanding work in the field of drama.

This year the Thespians sponsored a contest play for the District One-Act Play Festival and helped to produce the Senior Play. Special attention was given the apprentices in the Dramatics Club through leadership in special meetings and workshops. In all of their work, the Thespians strive to better themselves and their school through drama.



Senior Thespians have a meeting to discuss the Senior Play, "The Mousetrap".

Pep Club Sparks Athletic Interest



Pep Club - First Row: Della Christian, Peggy Daniels, S.C.A. Representative; Byrd Crowder, Treasurer; Frances Bolton, Secretary; Mary Hurt, President; Ginger Blanton, Business Manager. Second Row: Betty Atkinson, Gloria Perkinson, Sallie Beville, Pat Harrison, Barbara Beville, Jenny Yelverton, Audrey Blevins. Third Row: Linda Hollomon, Willie Wells, Mary Manson, Judy Orms, Linda Reams, Mary Jones, Ann Dalton. Fourth Row: Betty Crawley, Assistant Business Manager; Virginia Daniel, Anne Rand, Dorothy Bishop, Barbara Paulus, Rebecca Gracey. Fifth Row: Sherry Harrison, Frances McDaniel, Neva Harris, Carolyn Knox, Irene Rash, Anne Harrison. Sixth Row: Natalie Coleman, Ruby Crusenberry, Pat Naulty, Judy Forrester, Becky Daniels, Ellen Cassell, Kathy Raiser, Mr. Hobgood, Sponsor. Seventh Row: Pat Ulrey, Betty Jones, Elaine King, Jane Eastwood, Bernice Bolton, Dale Winn, Patti Dabney, Ann Dishmann, Marilyn Covington, Alice Gaskill. Eighth Row: Bettie Lewis, Sue Tuggle, Martha Beville, Judy Stephens, Judy Nichols, Lynn Church, Shirley Rogers, Beverly Booker, Peggy Baskervill. Ninth Row: Rita Eaton, Goldie Dalton, Kittie Winn, Donna Upson, Sandra Stephenson, Donna Worley, Edith Lewis. Tenth Row: Gloria Dalton, Elizabeth Major, Alice Purcell, Judith Cundiff, Martha Abel, Phyllis Ward.



The Pep Club as always sold food and drinks at the football games, candy at the basketball games, decorated the stadium for home football games, and managed the Homecoming festivities.

This year the club showed new spirit and enthusiasm in all the projects it undertook and helped to raise the school spirit in the student body.

Judy Nichols sells candy to spectators at a basketball game.

Members With "Big B"

Encourage Sportsmanship

Go! Fight! Win! This is the cry of the students belonging to the Monogram Club. The members, consisting of cheerleaders and those who have received those hard earned letters, encourage good sportsmanship and try to help other needy members with school work so they will be able to continue participation in sports. The club itself represents higher standards of sportsmanship and scholarship.

Peppy Cheerleaders encourage the Rams to victory.



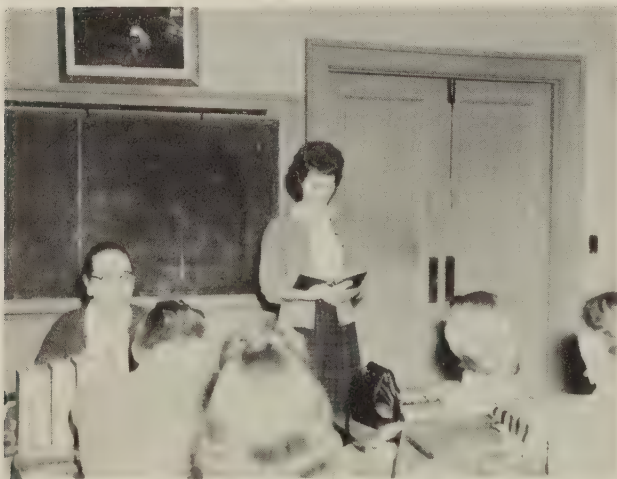
Monogram Club - Kneeling: Ann Dalton, Linda Hollomon, Ginger Blanton, Audrey Blevins, Della Christian, Rebecca Gracey, Betty Crawley. First Row: David Murray, Tommy Orange, Ned Jones, Tommy Rogers, Sammy West, President; Johnny Booker, J. B. Inge, Joe Davis, Joe Pete Monohan. Second Row: Billy Jones, Fred Palmore, Vice-President; David Hobgood, Donnie Koonce, S.C.A. Representative; Billy Davis, Betty Atkinson, Secretary-Treasurer; Virginia Daniels. Third Row: Bobby Alkire, Pack Sheffield, James Cabiness, Robert Borum, Larry Davis.



Tri-Hi-Y Sends Delegates To Model General Assembly



Tri-Hi-Y - First Row: Mrs. Weatherford, Sponsor; Mary Jones, S.C.A. Representative, Sallie Beville, Historian, Byrd Crowder, Treasurer; Mary Hurt, Secretary; Eleanor Garner, Chaplin; Jenny Yelverton, Vice-President; Ginger Blanton, President. Second Row: Anne Rand, Willie Wells, Rebecca Gracey, Anne Harrison, Sandra Stephenson, Shirley Rogers, Lynn Church, Pat Harrison. Third Row: Barbara Paulus, Neva Harris, Ann Dishmann, Marilyn Covington, Mary Manson, Elaine King, Kitty Winn, Natalie Coleman. Fourth Row: Linda Reams, Peggy Daniels, Jane Eastwood. Fifth Row: Linda Hollomon, Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Mary Williamson, Pat Ulrey, Donna Upson, Judy Forrester, Peggy Baskervill, Martha Beville. Sixth Row: Irene Rash, Frances McDaniel, Brenda Lynde, Betty Hastings.



The Tri-Hi-Y conducted a drive for crippled children, held devotions at each assembly program and in the classrooms at Christmas and Easter, and cared for a needy family at Christmas to carry out their ideal -- To create, maintain, and extend high standards of Christian character.

Again this year members were sent to the Model General Assembly in Richmond to learn more about our state government.

Marilyn reads Christmas devotions in home-room.

Every Voice Rings Joyfully

The Glee Club, the musical organization of B.H.S. has promoted greater interest and participation in music in the school and community. This year, the Glee Club performed for the PTA., and a Christmas assembly. In April the club managed to get the Madison College Glee Club to perform for the school and the community in an effort to develop greater appreciation of music.

Voice students learn note value from Miss Townsend.



Glee Club - Seated: Della Christian, President; Harris Daniel, Vice-President; Sallie Beville, Secretary; Miss Townsend, Director; Audrey Blevins, Treasurer; Robert Borum, S.C.A. Representative; Alice Gaskill, James Wagoner, Annette Wenger. First Row: Betty Crawley, Shirley Rogers, Betty Jones, Peggy Baskervill, Linda White, Lynn Church, Mary Manson, Dorothy Bishop, Willie Wells, Byrd Crowder, Ann Dalton. Second Row: Ginger Blanton, Pat Harrison, Martha Beville, Anne Harrison, Bettie Lewis, Jenny Yelverton, Bonnie Sutphin, Linda Hollomon. Third Row: Mary Williamson, Gloria Winn, Sarah Wagoner, Jackie Huff, Gloria White, Pat Williamson, Gloria Dalton, Rebecca Gracey, Billy Darby, Riley Suit, Dwight Good. Fourth Row: Carole Williamson, Patti Dabney, Judy Forrester, Anne Patterson, Pat Ulrey, Virginia Howse, Lucy Sanger, Ann Dishmann, Leroy Bradshaw, Judy Orms, Fred Sanger, James Hauser, Brownny Cassell.



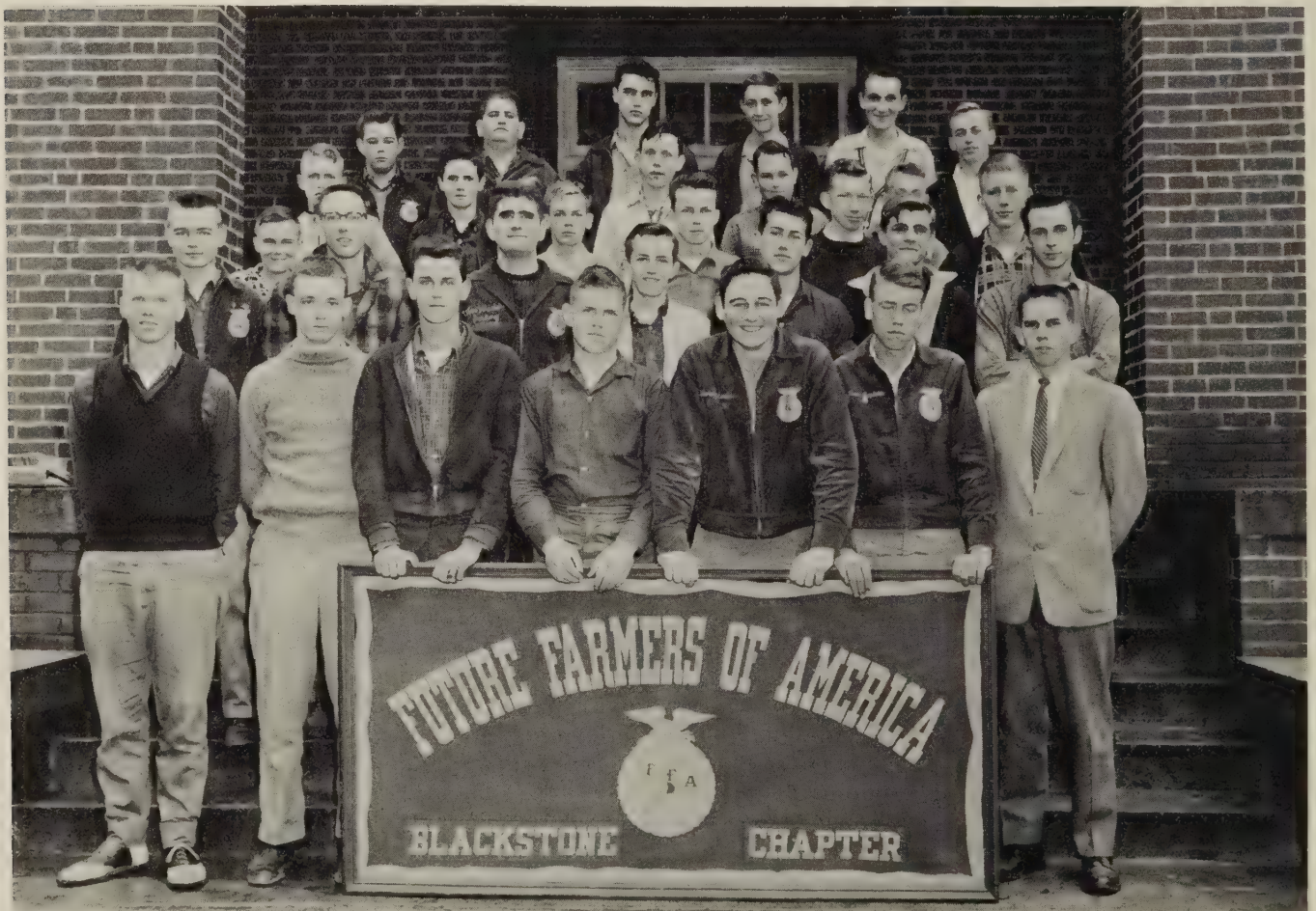
F.F.A. Strives Toward New Horizons



The F.F.A. Crop Show in Blackstone this year brought home many prizes and ribbons for the F.F.A. boys. The boys also won second place in the Degree Team Contest.

The annual trip to the State Fair in Richmond, and the forestry trip proved not only interesting but enjoyable. As the highlight of the year they held a Father-Son Banquet.

F.F.A. - First Row: Larry Orange, Harold Bishop, Treasurer; Charles Blevins, Secretary; William Drinkwater, Reporter; Larry Davis, Vice-President; William Paulett, President; Mr. Taylor, Sponsor; Second Row: Robert Davis, Charles Gunn, William Krieder, Gary Lawrence, Charles Elliott, David Jardine, Moyer Webb. Third Row: Larry Marshall, Larry Prue, Tommy Williams, James Hauser, Joe Pete Monohan. Fourth Row: Wayne Drinkwater, Johnny Farley, Tex Goode, John Mills, Jamie Hawkes, Jerry Prue. Fifth Row: Melvin Huff, Roy Krieder, Preston Williams, John Rutledge, Johnny Martin.



F.H.A. Learns By Doing



F.H.A. - Seated: First Row: Virginia Daniels, President; Frances Bolton, Vice-President; Martha Beville, Secretary; Judy Nichols, Treasurer; Shirley Rogers, Reporter. Second Row: Mrs. Cassell, Sponsor, Gloria White, Historian; Sallie Kate Beville, S.C.A. Representative; Patsy Robertson, Becky Daniels, Ellen Cassell, Elaine King, Rita Eaton, Kitty Winn. Standing: Betty Jones, Beverly Booker, Brenda Lynde, Rebecca Gracey, Carole Williamson, Alice Purcell, Ella Mayton, Mary Jane Williamson, Judy Forrester, Sylvia Lees, Phyllis Ward, Jane Bolton, Jannett Bolton, Betty Hastings, Bernice Bolton, Dorothy McCool, Anne Carter Harrison, Patricia Harrison.

The F.H.A. carried out its motto, "Toward New Horizons", this year by giving friendship and help to a needy first grade girl, and by adding beauty to the school by planting a rambling rose bush by the school.

From bake sales, candies sold in the halls, and a January dance, the F.H.A. girls raised money to carry out their objectives for the year.

They displayed the talents learned in home life by having a family night supper and a Mother-Daughter Banquet.

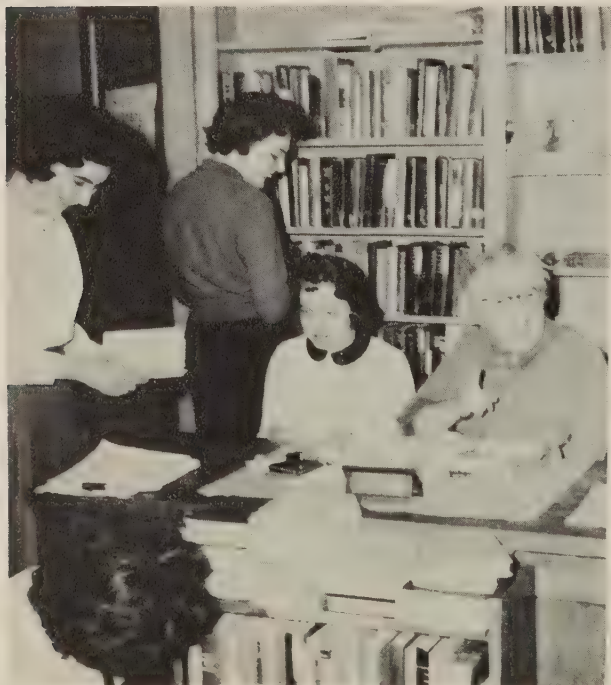


F. H. A. students get instruction from Mrs. Cassell.

Library Club Encourages Reading Interest



Library Club - Seated: Harris Daniel, S.C.A. Representative; James Wagoner, Vice-President; Marilyn Covington, Secretary; Sallie Kate Beville, President; Audrey Blevins, Treasurer; Mrs. Sanger, Sponsor; Patricia Naugle, Reporter. First Row: Edward Stultz, Martha Beville, Mary Jane Williamson, Emily Blevins, Anne Carter Harrison, Rita Eaton, Gloria Perkinson, Bonnie Sue Sutphin, Barbara Beville, Gloria Dalton, Della Anne Christian, Ann Dalton. Second Row: Patricia Harrison, Natalie Coleman, Judy Nichols, Frances Bolton, Tommy Mac Orange, Billy Jones, Rebecca Gracey, Robert Lee Borum, Riley Suit, Billy Darby, Ned Jones, Edward Kimbrough. Third Row: Sammy Clay, Brown Cassell. Fourth Row: Donnie Koonce.



It is the responsibility of the Library Club members to promote better reading among the students and to assist those students who need help in looking up references, books, and magazine articles.

By holding a dance in December, the club raised enough money to contribute some of the latest books and improve some of the older ones already in the library.

Mrs. Sanger helps students find monthly parallels.

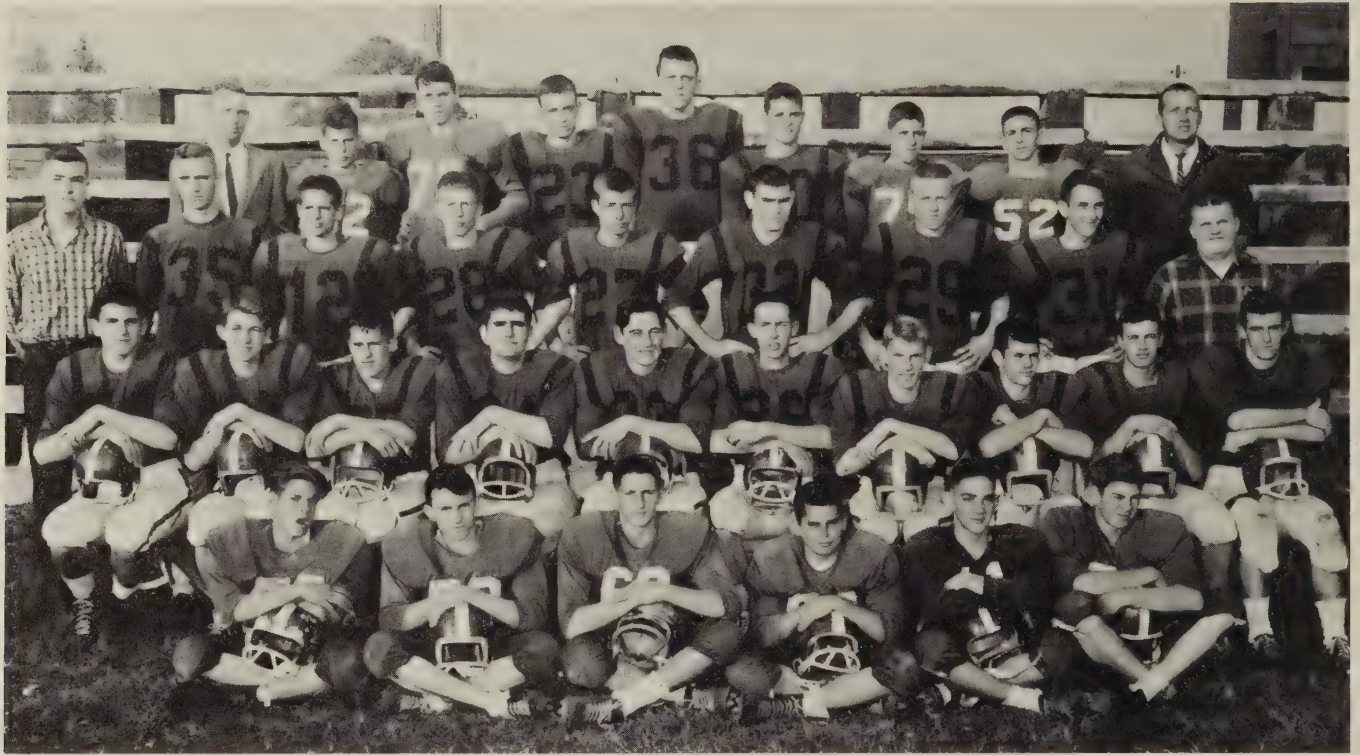
Athletics



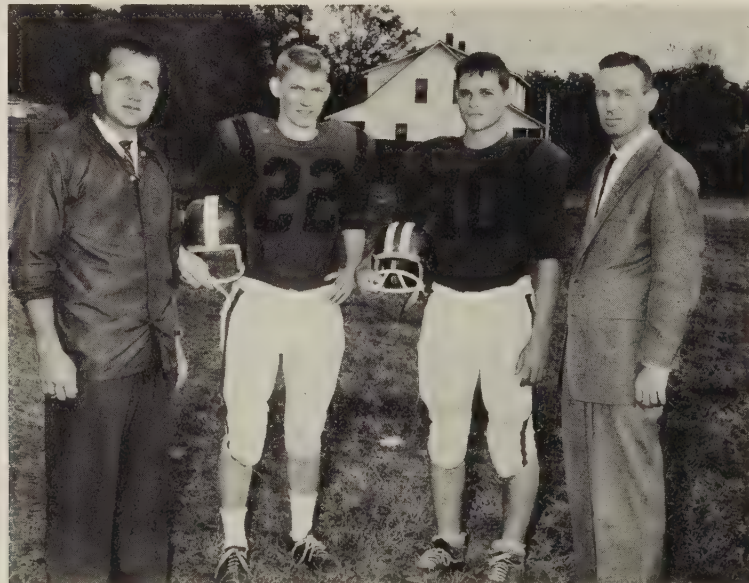
The wise, for cure, on exercise
depend; God never made his work
for man to mend.

Epistle to John Dryden of
Charlerton

Rams Show Great Improvement



First Row: David Miracle, Johnny Goode, Ronald Happel, Dukey Abel, Sammy Dalton, Dan Irby. Second Row: Johnny Inge, Thomas Whitlow, William Bradford, William Kreider, Larry Davis, Charles Gunn, Sammy West, Joe Farrar, Dave Hobgood, Johnny Booker. Third Row: Sammy Clay, Manager; Donald Koonce, Jimmy Crawley, Joe Pete Monohan, Pack Sheffield, James Cabiness, Billy Jones, David Jones, Ned Jones, Manager. Fourth Row: Mr. Hobgood, Assistant Coach; Lowry McDaniel, James Wagoner, Harold Bishop, Bobby Alkire, Fred Palmore, Bobby Schnell, Robert Arms, Mr. Padgett, Coach.



Mr. Padgett, coach; Sammy West, Fred Palmore, co-captains; Mr. Hobgood, assistant coach.

Rams Plan For A Better Year



STARTING LINE-UP First Row: Joe Pete Monohan, right end; Donald Koonce, right tackle; Fred Palmore, right guard; Bobby Alkire, center; Harold Bishop, left guard; James Cabiness, left tackle; Pack Sheffield, left end. Second Row: Sammy West, right halfback; William Kreider, fullback; Billy Jones, fullback; Dave Hobgood, quarterback; Johnny Booker, left halfback.



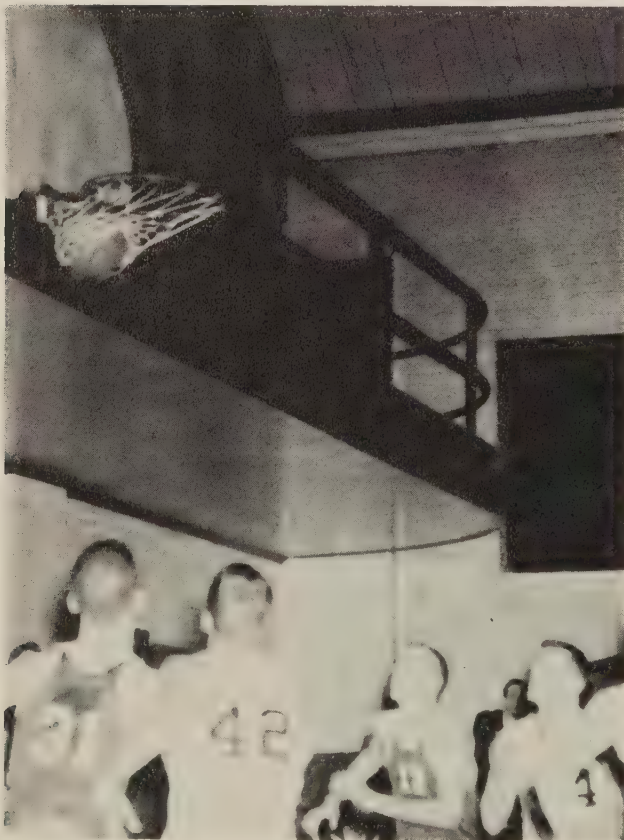
Cabiness, Joe Pete, and Alkire turn in equipment to Sammy.

This year the Blackstone Rams marched forward with zeal and enthusiasm, but were held to a 3-6 record in competition with larger schools. The team, made up of mostly underclassmen, was handicapped by lack of size and frequent injuries. Despite the disappointing odds, each boy on the team gave his best from the opening kickoff to the final whistle. Because of the team's good sportsmanship and spirit, and because they never gave up when the cause seemed hopeless, the local merchants sent the team to see a college game at Charlottesville. Encouraged by the leadership of Coach Padgett and his staff, the team gained new support not only from the student body but from the faculty as well.

Underclassmen Gain Invaluable Experience



BASKETBALL TEAM: Mr. Hobgood, Coach; Pack Sheffield, Johnny Booker, Robert Borum, Joe Pete Monohan, Bobby Alkire, Sammy West, Donald Koonce, Robby Westmoreland, Brownny Cassell, Dave Hobgood, Fred Palmore, Ned Jones, Manager.



From the opening jump to the closing buzzer, the Rams played their best in every game, trying for another B.H.S. victory. The basketball players played with a spirit that is typical of Blackstone High--a spirit which keeps the opponents fighting until the last seconds of the game. Together with this sense of spirit and the experience gained this year by the underclassmen, Blackstone High can well look forward to a much more successful team next year.

SWISH!!! Another two points for ole B.H.S.

Girls Produce Many "Thrillers"



GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM: First Row: Mary Jane Jones, Manager; Rebecca Gracey, Mary Rebecca Gravatt, Audrey Blevins, June Rockwell, Linda Reams, Anne Lewis Rand, Mr. Padgett, Coach. Second Row: Byrd Crowder, Linda Sharrer, Lynn Church, Linda White, Judy Nichols, Alice Mae Gaskill, Barbara Paulus, Mary Virginia Manson, Peggy Daniels, Ginger Blanton, Betty Atkinson, Willie Wells.

Each afternoon after school from 3:30 to 4:45, the eighteen girls who composed the girls' basketball team practiced with a great deal of work and sincerity. This earnest effort that was put forth by them has paid off in experience and many exciting games with very close scores. Some of the games ended only after an exciting overtime.



Rebecca shoots a foul shot.

Practice Time Cut Short For J.V.'S.



J.V. BASKETBALL TEAM: First Row: Wally Mann, Dave Boyken, Bobby Morris, David Jones, Leroy Bradshaw, David Murray. Second Row: Jimmy Stevens, Wade Watson, Charles Stell, Sammy Dalton, Larry Whitten, Johnny Inge. Third Row: Coaches: Mrs. Hobgood and Mr. Padgett.

The Junior Varsity Basketball team has been very active this year, as in the years past. The team started with a few experienced boys and by the end of the season had acquired many more, who learned by trying. This team showed good sportsmanship, team spirit, and drive as they improved as the season progressed. By playing on the Junior Varsity they have the experience and skill that they will need to gain a place on the Varsity team next year.



Cheerleaders Add Pep To Sports Life



Cheerleaders: Ann Dalton, Linda Hollomon, Mary Rebecca Gravatt, Ginger Blanton, Audrey Blevins, Head Cheerleader; Della Anne Christian, Rebecca Gracey, Betty Atkinson, Betty Crawley.



Ann, Rebecca, Betty, and Della Anne.

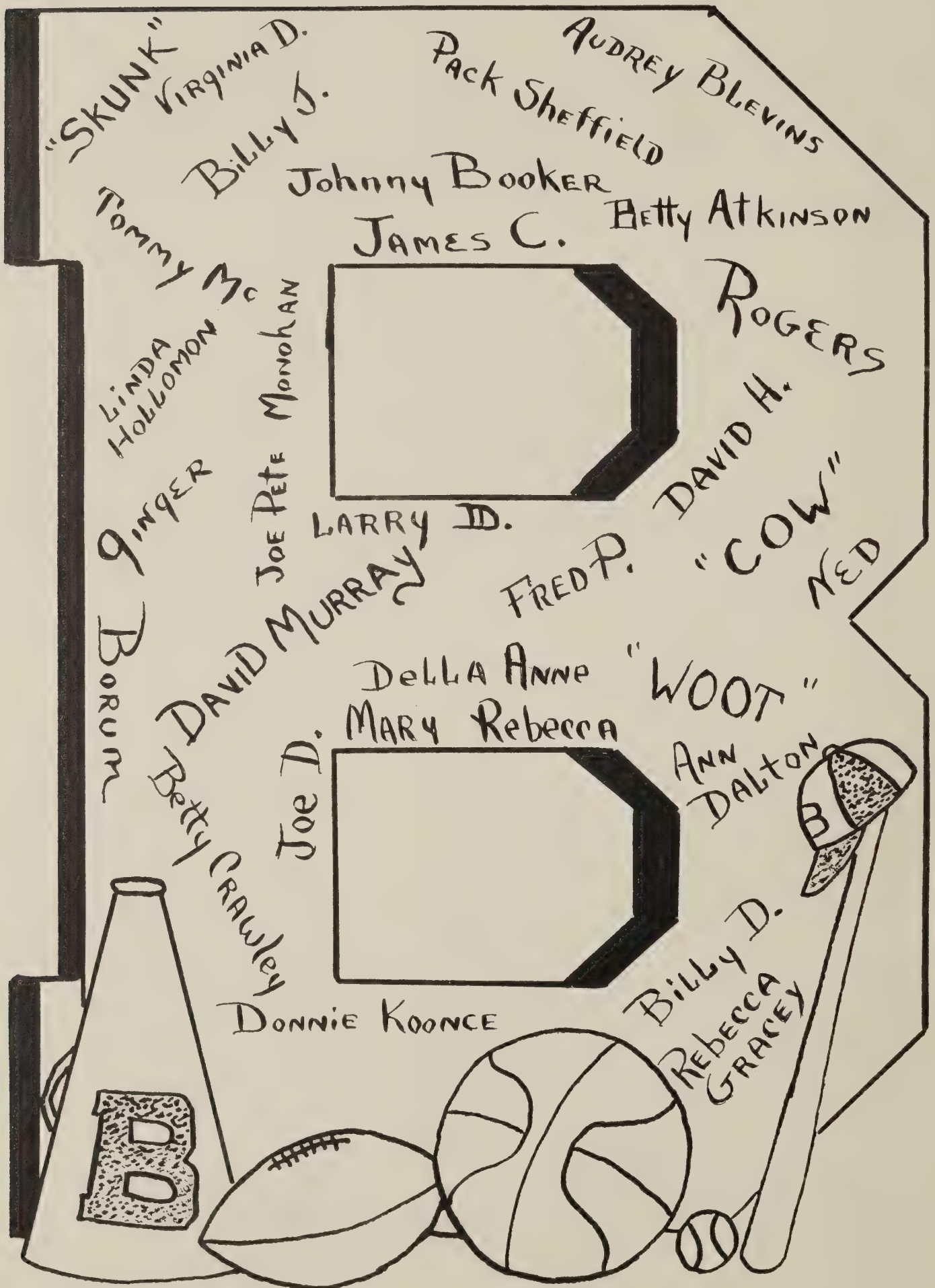


Mrs. Cobbs, Sponsor, gives Head Cheerleader, Audrey, some helpful hints.



Mary Rebecca, Ginger, Betty, and Linda.

The Monograms



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Students Find School Fun And Not All Work



Mary Virginia Hurt welcomes all visitors to B.H.S. with open arms.



Rats Tunstall, Cunningham, and Booker find safety only in eating lunch.



Larry and Alice Ann take a spin around the floor to Pat Patridge's music at Homecoming.



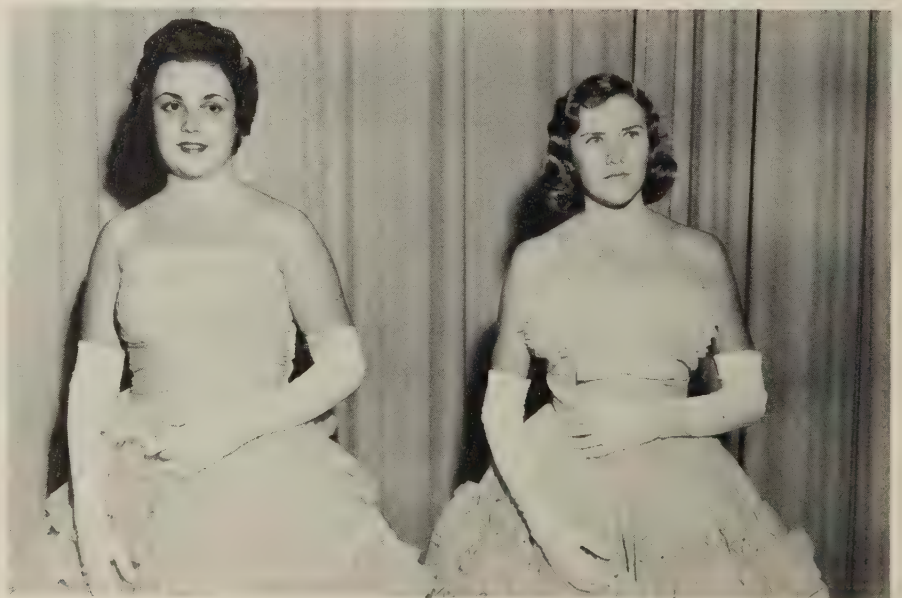
Coach Padgett was willing to have a pie thrown into his face for benefit of the March of Dimes.

Beautiful Court Reigns Over Festivities

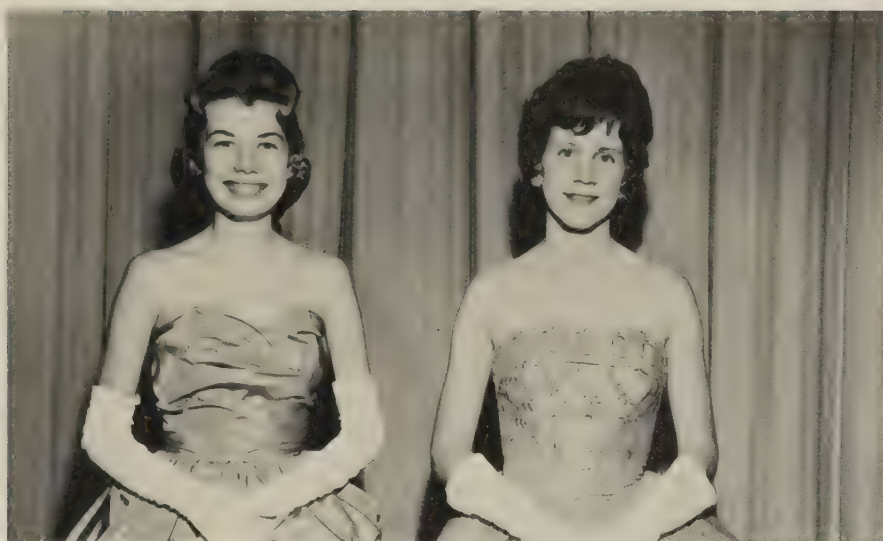


Queen
Betty

SENIOR PRINCESSES
Sallie Kate Beville
Willie Louise Wells



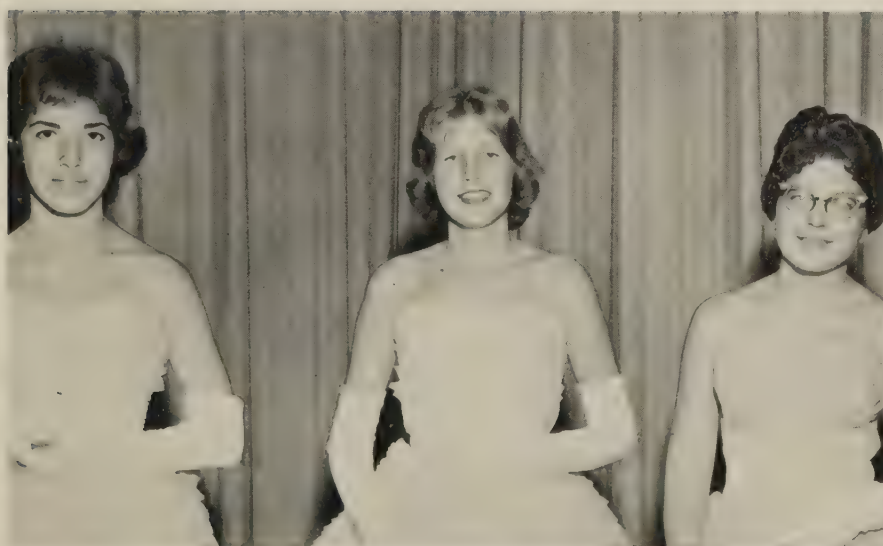
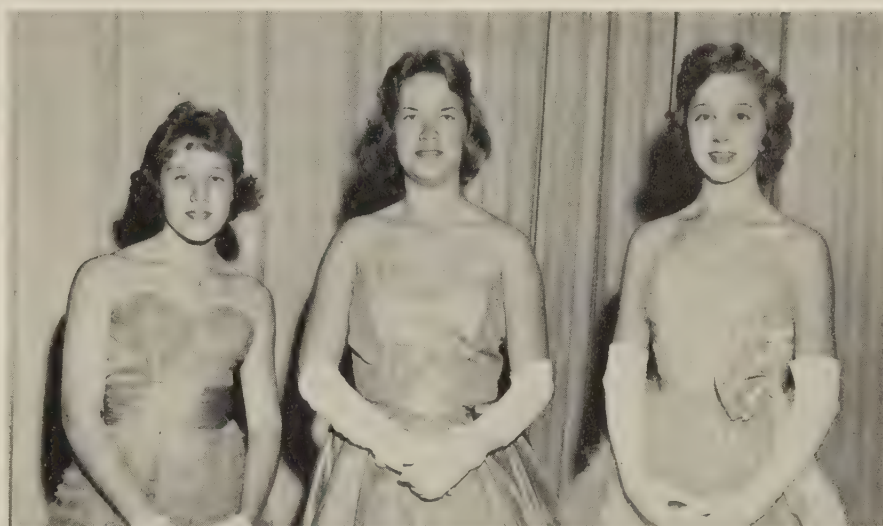
Rain Does Not Dampen Week-End Activities



JUNIOR PRINCESSES
Loraine White
Ann Dishmann

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Dale Winn

SOPHOMORE PRINCESSES
Peggy Daniels
Irene Rash



FRESHMAN PRINCESSES
Linda White
Anne Carter Harrison

EIGHTH GRADE PRINCESS
Kandy Mann

Interesting Events Make Up School Year



This year when Camp Pickett was reopened, B.H.S. played host to many new students and friends. A few of the new students to arrive at Blackstone were Harriet Strong, Marlene Cantrell, Florence Douthitt, Jimmy Stevens, Lonnie Adams, Margaret Suit, Ann Dishmann, and Riley Suit.



"Give me an R," yell "Cheerleaders" Weatherford and Harrison to help raise \$60 for the March of Dimes benefit assembly.



Rat Dalton sends his books flying and takes to the floor with good humor when he hears "black flag"!

Responsibility Governs School Day



Safety Patrol: Kneeling: Edward Stultz, Larry Orange, Sammy Clay, Johnny Martin. Standing: Johnny Mills, Wallace Hood, Mrs. Harrison, Sponsor; Betty Hastings, Matilda Martin, Irene Rash, Frances McDaniel, Dorothy McCool, Frances Bolton, Gloria White.



Della Anne leads discussion group in Crewe for District S.C.A. as Willie takes notes.

Miss Hammock meets with the Nominating Committee to choose the S.C.A. candidates for next year's officers.



Seniors try out for the leading roles in the Senior Play "The Mousetrap" as Mrs. Hammlett watches.

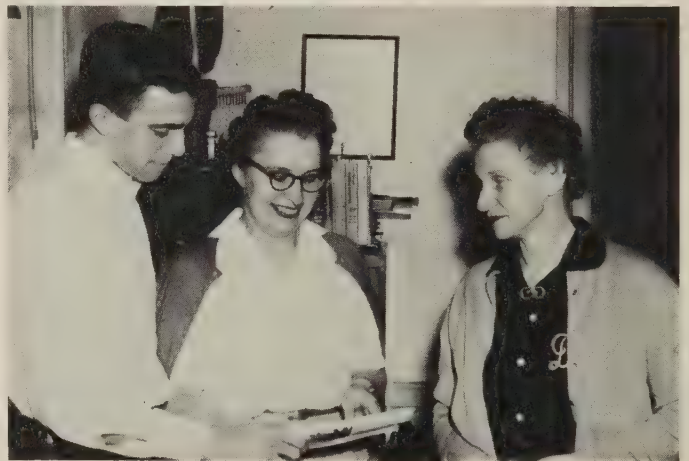


Outstanding Students At B.H.S.



Betty and Tommy were chosen by the Senior Class as the Best-All-Around Senior boy and girl to be featured in the Ivy.

Mrs. Hutcherson and Mr. DeBusk examine the District TBAward that Brownly received for his TB issue of the Ram's Horn.

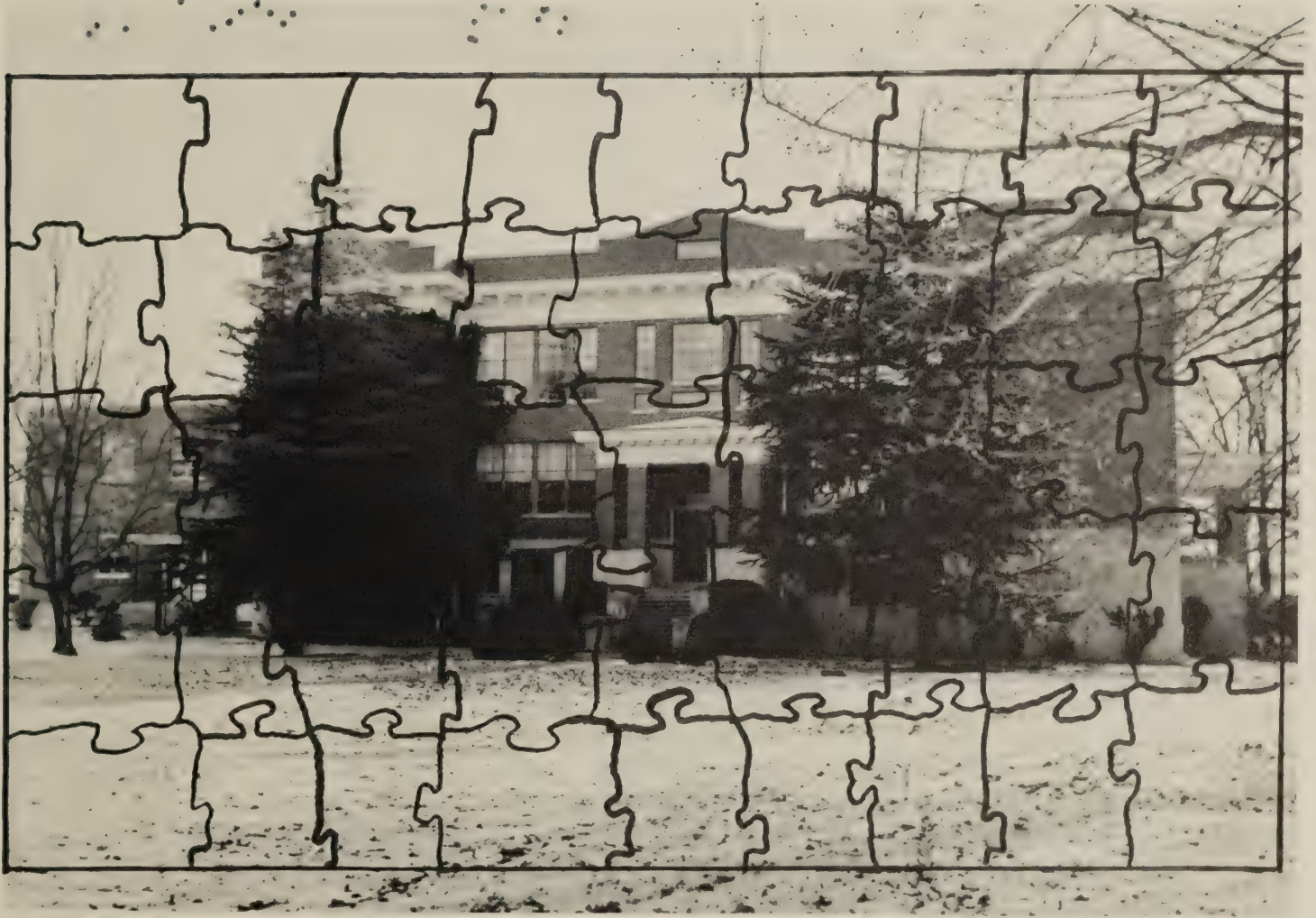


Mrs. Cassell presents Sallie Kate with the Betty Crocker Award.

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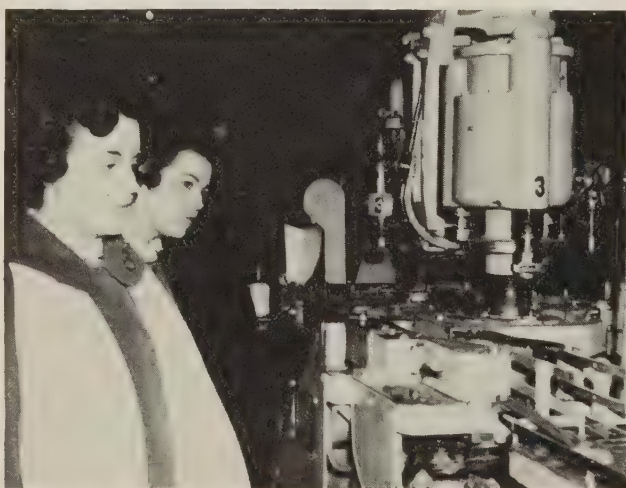
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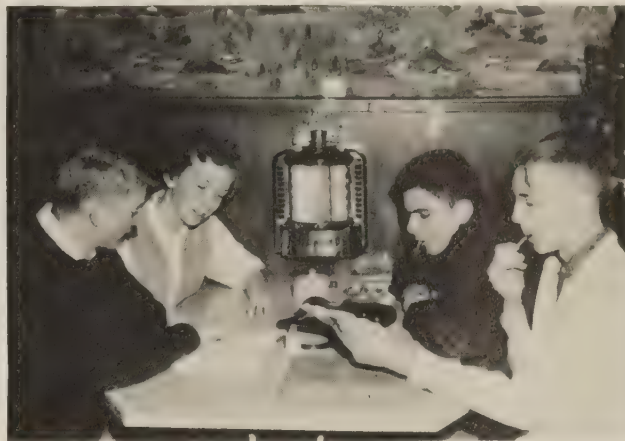
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